



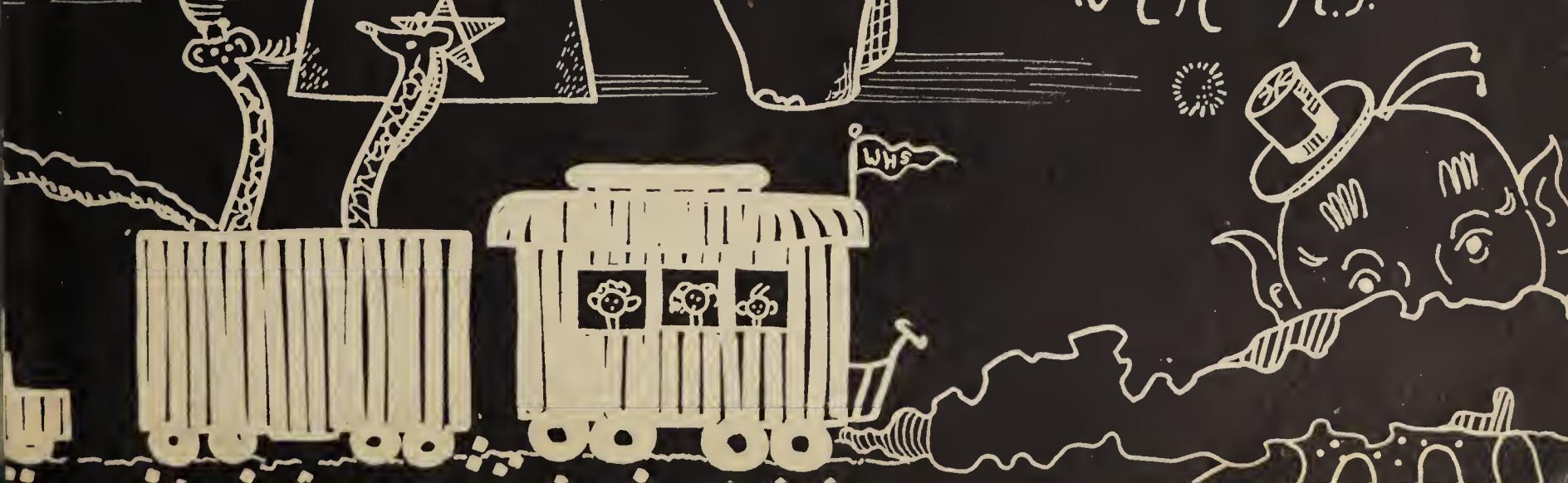
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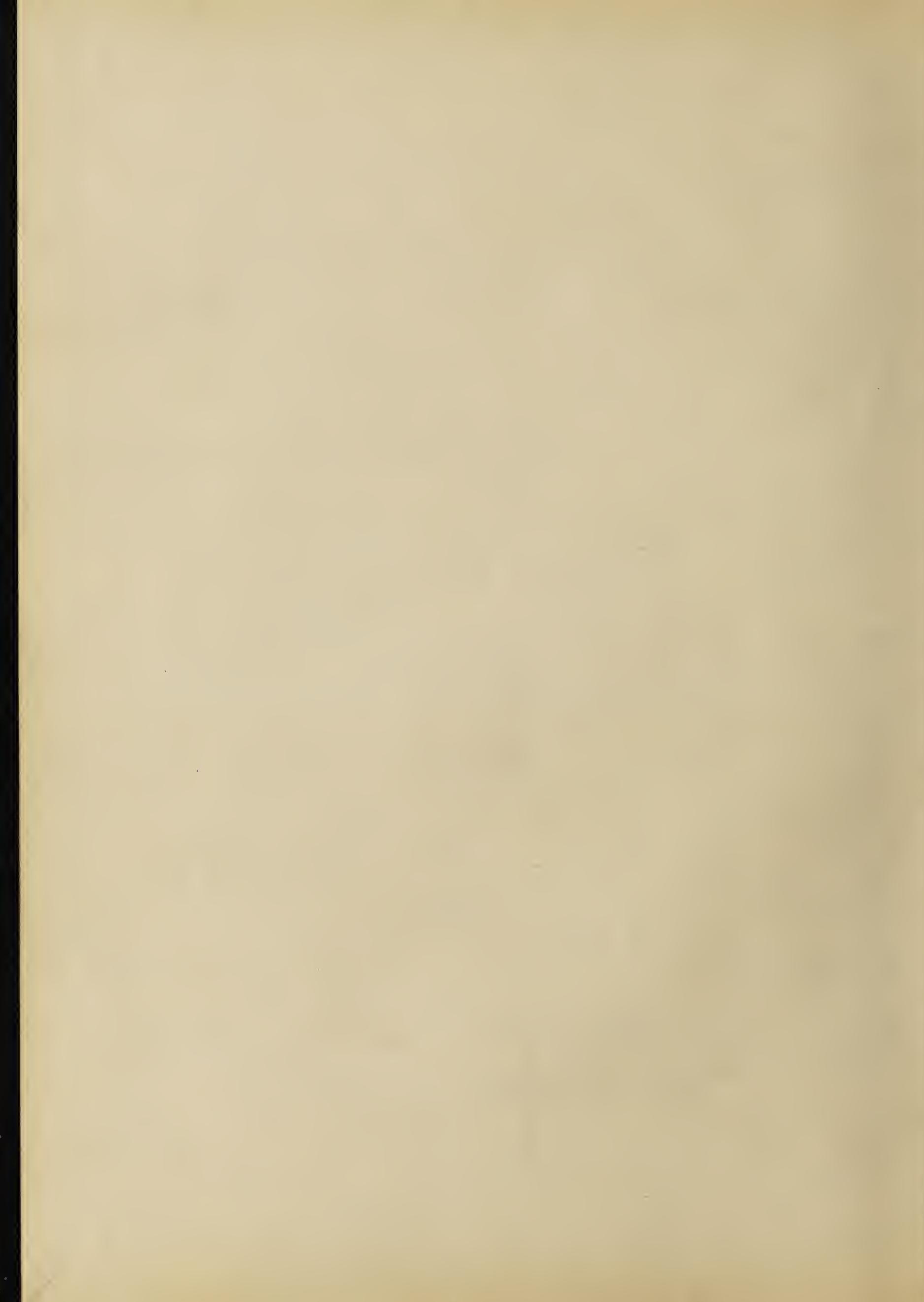
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Portal Editorial Board



# PORTAL

1950

WEAVER  
HIGH SCHOOL  
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# FORE



The Circus—to the onlooker—spangles, laughter, acrobatics, clowns, fun galore; in its preparation—days, months, even years of hard work, toil, and heartache!

Our three years at Weaver can be likened to the "Big Show": spangles—the glitter of our formal affairs; laughter—over the innumerable amusing incidents during a school day; acrobatics—in our sports events; clowns—the many jesters who flavor the lighter side of school life; and fun galore—with our many friends in the school. But also—as in the Circus—the days, months, and years of concentrated

"In its preparations."



"Fun galore—with our many friends."

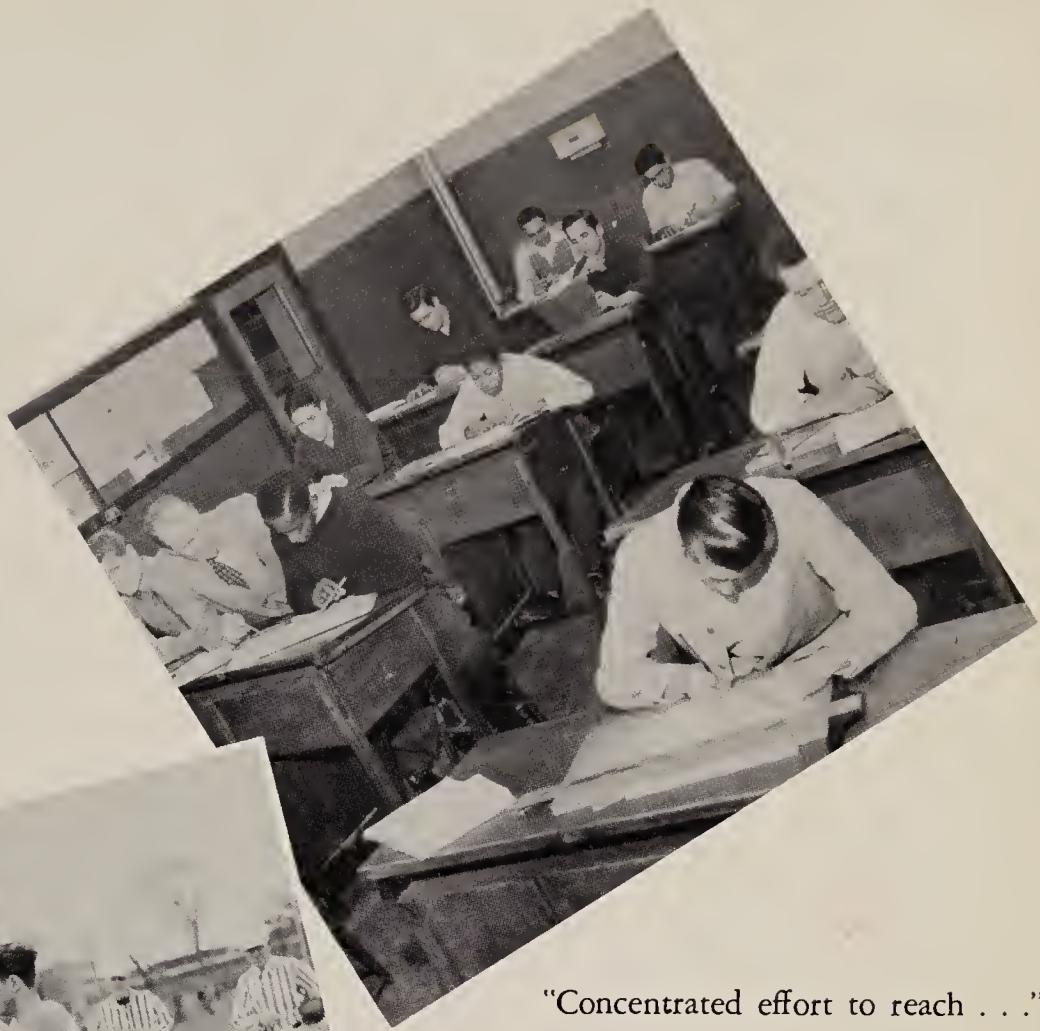


"The glitter of our formal affairs."

# WORD

effort to reach our particular pinnacle of perfection — success. In this, the most important of our undertakings, there are many heartaches, the memory of which seems to disappear once the goal is reached. This goal, success, whether it be for circus or school, can be attained only by a proper blending of the two elements of frivolity and work.

It is the sincere hope of the Boards that *The Portal* will, perchance, in later years when nostalgic memories of both school and circus are intermingled, recall to you *your* part under the "big-top" of Weaver.



"Concentrated effort to reach . . ."



"Once the goal is reached."



"Nostalgic Memories . . ."



MR. EZRA MELROSE

WEAVER  
DEDICATES  
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D E D I C



—an outstanding new member of our faculty who quickly commanded the respect of the entire student body as well as that of his associates. In a brief two years, he has risen to the position of vice-principal. His vigorous energy and his pride in Weaver are shown by his undertaking the task of revitalizing the Weaver Boys' Club and, in close conjunction with Miss Goodwin, by aiding to provide a comprehensive and understanding supervision of student affairs in our school. We, the class of 1950, sincerely extend our genuine hope for continued success at Weaver to Mr. Ezra Melrose.

# ATION

MR. E. ALLAN MAINES

—one of the most well liked and loyal teachers in Weaver. An instructor in our school since its opening in 1924, he has constantly taken interest in many phases of school life. His quiet and unassuming attitude hide from many the fact of his numerous activities for the school such as being treasurer of the William Holden Memorial Scholarship Fund. In addition to his thorough instruction in chemistry and physics, supplemented by guidance of the Physics Club, he has willingly participated in many other school affairs. Well may he be proud of his numerous accomplishments at Weaver, for which the class of 1950 cordially congratulates and thanks Mr. E. Allan Maines.





MR. WILLIAM F. AITKEN

In years to come, many students of the class of 1950 will remember, with respect and admiration, Mr. William Aitken, our principal, or, to put it in other words, the "Ringmaster" of school life.

The coordinator of all school activities, educational and recreational, Mr. Aitken has exercised a firm yet kindly authority. Whether he was seen addressing an assembly with his famous last words, "You now stand dismissed to your first period class," or whether he was met in a more personal contact about one of the many details of a school day, his refreshing personality was always deeply felt. By his great pride in Weaver and through his tireless efforts in guiding his students along the right paths to happiness, Mr. Aitken has won a place in every student's heart.

We sincerely thank Mr. Aitken for the privilege of being under his leadership.

WILLIAM F. AITKEN

*Principal*

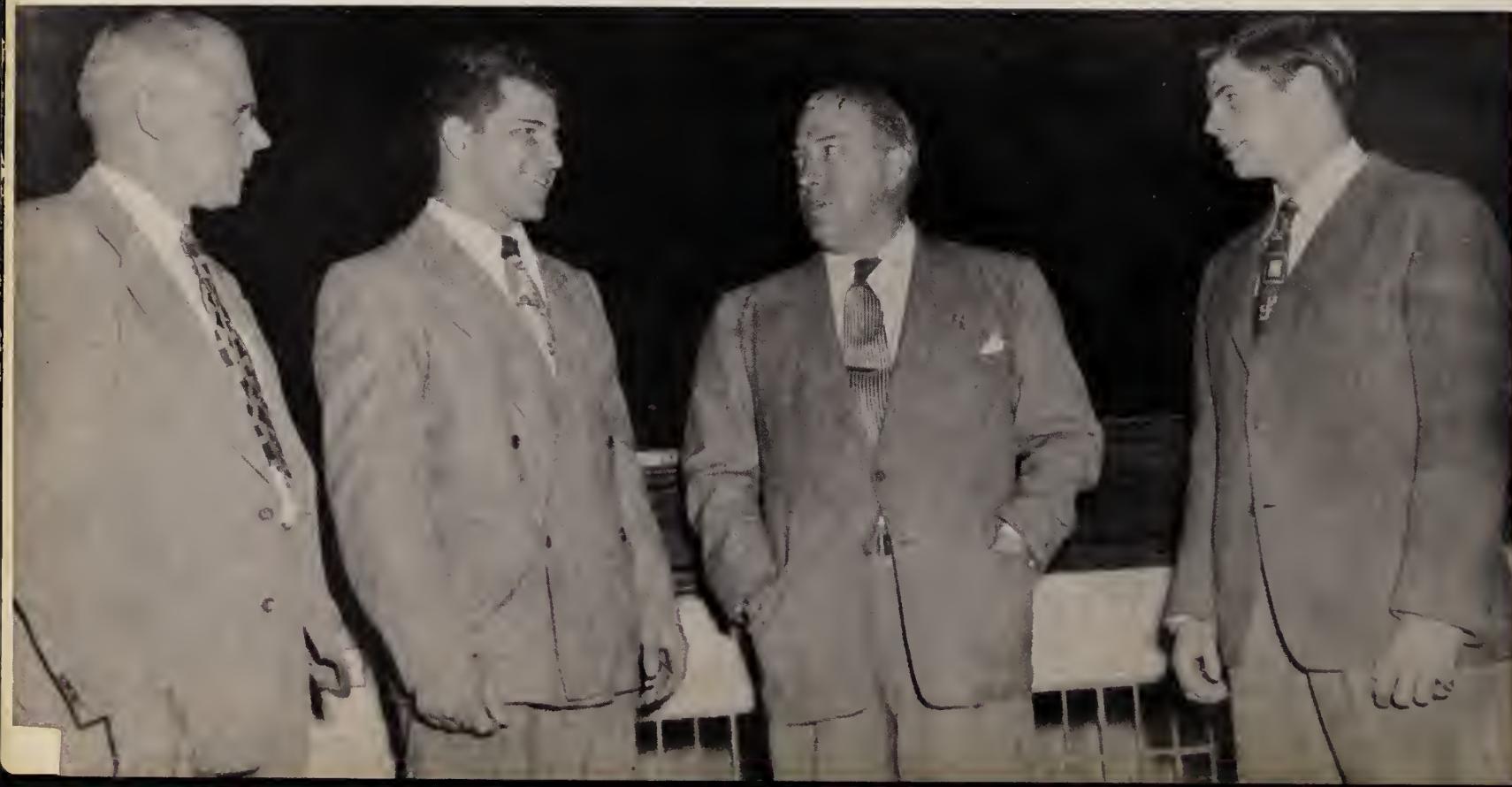
TO THE MEMBERS OF THE CLASS OF 1950:

As you leave here I could just say "good-bye," but Weaver will always be with you in some small measure. Memories will come back to you from time to time and you will relive the pleasant years spent here. 1950 has been a good class, and as alumni we ask the same loyalty you gave as undergraduates. As you graduate your name will be added to a long list of fine, loyal alumni.

To each of you, best wishes for success in your new ventures, and as you leave, to each of you, God-speed.

WILLIAM F. AITKEN.

Left to right: Mr. Aitken, Ferraina, "Bill" Lee, Moores.



Five years ago Weaver welcomed Miss Goodwin back to this school as Dean of Girls. Ever since then, she has looked after our interests wisely and skillfully, proving herself not only a dean but a friend. She has encouraged us, praised us, censured us when we deserved it, and always she has inspired us to do our best. Under her competent leadership and guidance the Girls' League has continued one of the outstanding clubs in the school.

With gratitude and affection, we bid her farewell.



MISS KATHERINE R. GOODWIN  
*Dean of Girls*

"Each member shall endeavor to maintain a mutual understanding between herself and members of the faculty. To do her utmost to promote a feeling of friendliness in word and deed. To give her services freely and graciously to the interest of the school."



### GIRLS' LEAGUE OFFICERS

Seated, left to right: Clarke, Beizer, Garrity. Standing: Reilly, Pelletier, Bolcher, Cramer, DiMella.



Seated, left to right: Cassara, R. Kaufman, Ferraro, Berman, Prant, DiMella. Second row: Beizer, Rabinowitz, Murray, Rosenbaum, Marcus, Shook. Back row: White, Savitt, Lombardo, Baggish, French, Beckham.

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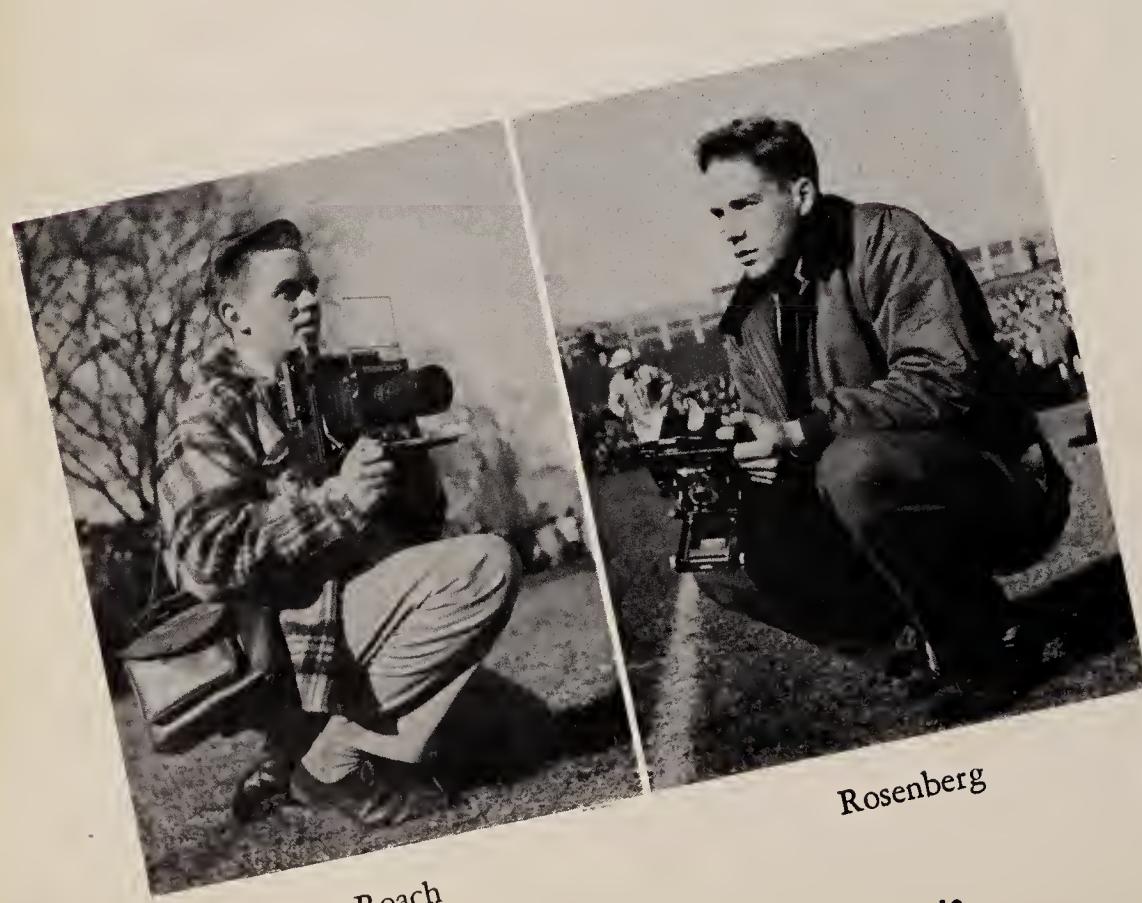
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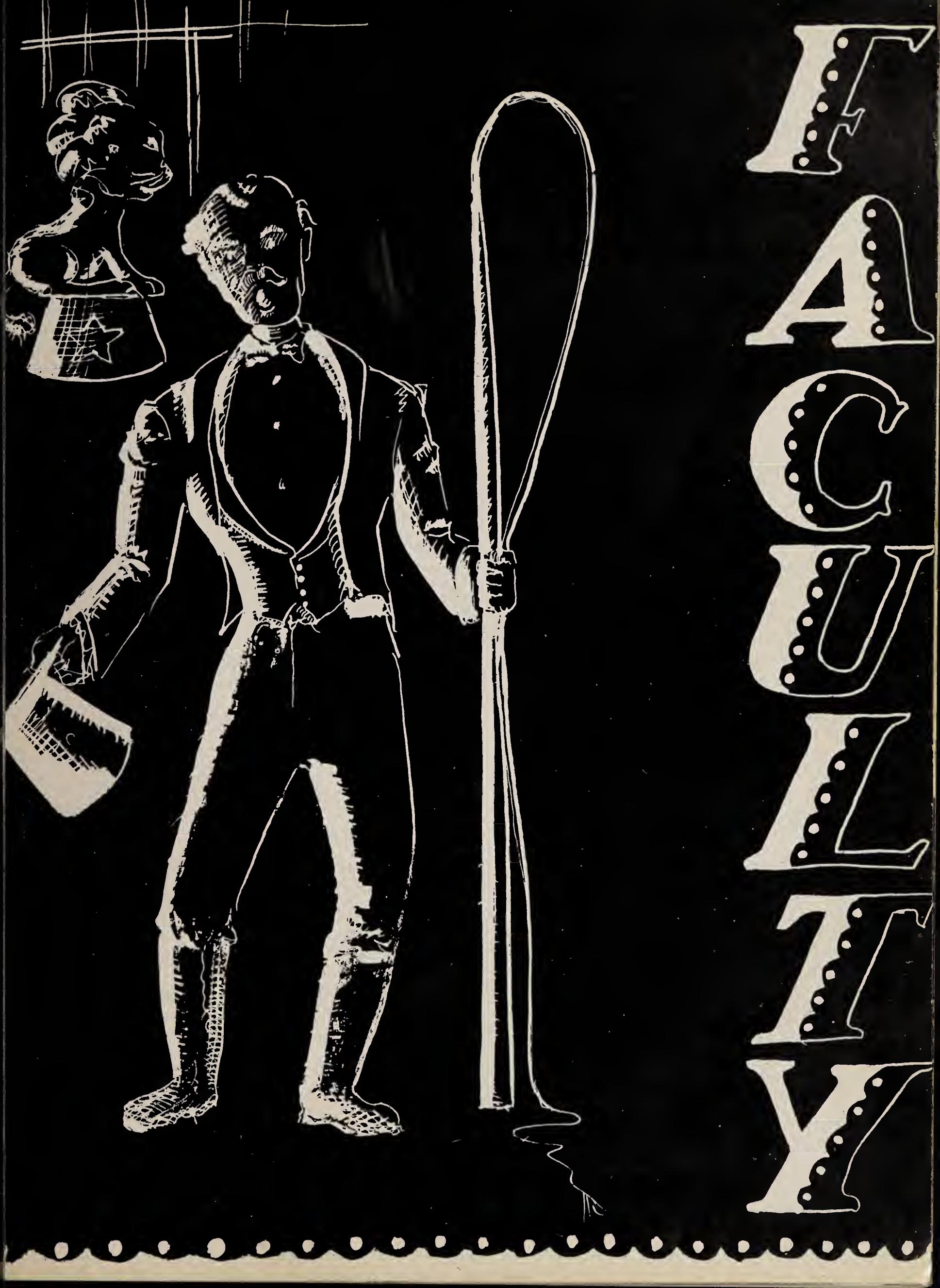
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JOHN A. ALIBRIO, B.ED.

Friendly nod for everyone—what he lacks in stature he makes up in understanding.

Teachers' College of Conn.



CHARLES A. ANDREWS, M.A.

Sympathetic senior advisor—always in a hurry—very explicit.

Fitchburg Teachers' College.



WALTER ASCHENBACH, M.A.

Easy-going and easy to like—takes everything in stride — *Lookout's* "helping hand."

University of Conn.



RUSSELL D. BAKER, B.S.

Neat dresser—method and precision his watchwords—session rooms love him.

Mass. State College.



HARRIET D. BEST, M.A.

Tireless worker—interested in all of us—we can't keep up with you!

Mt. Holyoke College.



JENNETTE BODURTHA, B.A.

Can answer any questions—enjoys lecturing with her hands.

Mt. Holyoke College.



WESTON H. BROCKWAY, B.A.

Informal classes conducted on friendly plane—"That's the deal!"

Dartmouth College.



EDGAR A. CARRIER, B.A.

Don't stop me, even if you've heard this one!—our most famed philosopher, humorist, scholar — and teacher, too!

Middlebury College.



MARION A. CASE

Friendly and helpful attitude—liked by her girls—those undecipherable blackboards!

Chandler Normal School.



HAROLD B. CLAPP, M.A.

Stickler for detail — perseverance personified — "Is that a crumb I see?"

Bates College.

PORTIA E. CLOUGH, B.S.E.

Amiable — bubbling with enthusiasm—motherly interest in her girls.

Framingham Teachers' College.

GENEVIEVE W. CONKLIN, M.A.

Strict classes seasoned with dry humor—not even a mouse stirs in her study hall—"muy bien."

College of St. Elizabeth.



NICHOLAS C. CORACCI, B.A.

Jolly man with one eyebrow cocked! —substitute cheerleader—that sharp suede jacket!

Bryant College.

MELVIN G. CROWELL, M.A.

Piercing glance—creator of unique teardrop symbol—makes us want to do our best—"tra-la!"

Cornell University.

ROBERT CUNNINGHAM, B.B.A.

Commands efficiency from his office students—enthusiastic supporter of Weaver's athletic events.

Northeastern University.



MILLARD S. DARLING, M.ED.

Tactful and diplomatic advisor — under his guidance we make up our minds!

Amherst College.

PHILIP H. DOW, M.A.

Fatherly interest in each student— says little but accomplishes much.

Bates College.

MAE DRESCHER, M.A.

Envious wardrobe—one of our most democratic and fair teachers—we all liked her!

Mt. Holyoke College.



**LILLIAN R. ERICKSON, B.A.E.**  
Helps each aspiring artist individually—Weaver's newest asset.  
Rhode Island School of Design.



**FORTUNATA Y. FARANDA, B.S.**  
Vivacious—can handle any situation—known for her straightforwardness.

Columbia University.



**WILLARD B. GREEN, B.S.E.**  
The right joke for the right time—changeable personality—adored by band members.

State Teachers' College, N. Y.



**GEORGE F. HALFORD, M.B.A.**  
Distinguished appearance—carefree attitude—one of the last to leave at night.  
Boston University.



**HENRY A. HANSON, B.S.**  
Good natured—opposed to rush—willing to help.

Teachers' College of Conn.



**GRETCHEN B. HARPER, M.A.**  
Hard worker and well-loved friend—makes us take pride in her Latin—“procrastination is the thief of time”—remember?

Wellesley College.



**NINA L. HARTIN, M.A.**  
Aid to speech makers—likes things run smoothly.  
Mt. Holyoke College.



**ELIZABETH HAZELTON**  
Petite and sweet—in her sanctum we must whisper!—helps us find what we want.

Rockford College.



**AGNES N. HOGAN, B.A.**  
Will take nothing but the best—“don’t go to Mr. Aitken’s office by way of Chicago.”

Wesleyan University.



DOROTHY E. HOOD, M.A.

Conscientious—it's enjoyable to hear her read—"how many understand?"  
Mt. Holyoke College.



CHARLES F. HORVATH, M.A.

Whipped Weaver's boys into shape — gets things done — the fellows admire him.

University of Conn.



CATHERINE E. HUBBARD, M.A.

Boundless supply of scientific knowledge—nothing bothers her.

Mt. Holyoke College.



MARIE A. JOHNSTON, B.A.

Loves to talk of travels—we love to listen! — systematic — delightful classes.

Radcliffe College.



ESTHER LANGWILL, M.A.

Charming manner and smiling countenance—"how many of you have had French?"

Middlebury College.



F. ELIOT LARRABEE, M.A.

Forceful speaker — effervescent and active—knows his Shakespeare.

Wesleyan University.



MARY G. LEVY, M.A.

Sweet—we learned to love her as sophomores — glad to hear our troubles.

New York University.



ELVIRA M. LORD, M.A.

Athletically inclined — businesslike — "did you bring back your pass?"

Moravian College.



E. ALLAN MAINES, B.A.

Always patient—outstanding person —how can we forget him?

University of Maine.



**LILLIAN M. MANSFIELD, M.A.**

Always has something nice to say—  
interested in all of us as individuals.  
Mt. Holyoke College.



**JOHN B. MCGILL, M.S.**

Outspoken and sincere—understands  
students—knows "his boys."  
University of Illinois.



**ELINOR MOSES, M.A.**

Wise to all our tricks—always has an  
answer—an unforgettable teacher.  
Columbia University.



**CLAIRE NORTON, B.S.**

Distinguished and well dressed —  
calm and unruffled at all times —  
competent guidance worker.  
College of St. Theresa.



**MONA O'HARA, M.A.**

Can really teach English!—her faith-  
ful smile ever present.  
Smith College.



**M. NELSON OWEN, M.A.**

You can't argue with him—lovable  
gent—master of the old school!  
Lehigh University.



**G. HAPGOOD PARKS, M.A.**

His philosophy: a test every day—  
sees the humorous side of every situation.

Clark University.



**ESTHER PHILLIPS, M.A.**

Can detect unusual behavior with  
her eyes closed—if you've had her,  
you know French, "n'est-cpas?"

Bates College.



**DOROTHY PICKARD, M.A.**

Steady worker and late stayer —  
knows how to inspire a class—grand  
person.

Columbia University.



JOHN D. PREU

Helpful to each—knows just what he wants—regular guy.  
Pratt Institute.



CLAYTON F. SHUFELT, M.A.

And his magic violin! — even-tempered—welcome addition to Weaver's faculty.

Teachers' State College, N. Y.



FRANK J. STEEVES, M.A.

Has a good racquet! — quiet — doesn't miss a trick.  
Fitchburg Teachers' College.



MRS. RUTH S. STEPHAN

Keeper of the books — stands for no tomfoolery from the bookworms —we enjoyed her cheerful presence.



ARLINE S. TALCOTT, M.A.

Tolerates no tomfoolery — placid appearance—admired by many.  
Wellesley College.



FRANK M. VANSCHAACK, M.A.

Anxious to please—takes everything seriously.

Lebanon Valley College.



WAYLAND F. WALCH, B.A.

Dry humor—helpful—never seen in a bad mood.  
Middlebury College.



WILLIAM R. WARING, B.B.A.

Popular among student body—exercises "control of the purse"—(A.A., that is!)

Boston University.



ELEANOR M. WHITNEY, M.A.

Indefatigable organizer—"I'm proud of my Leader Corps!"

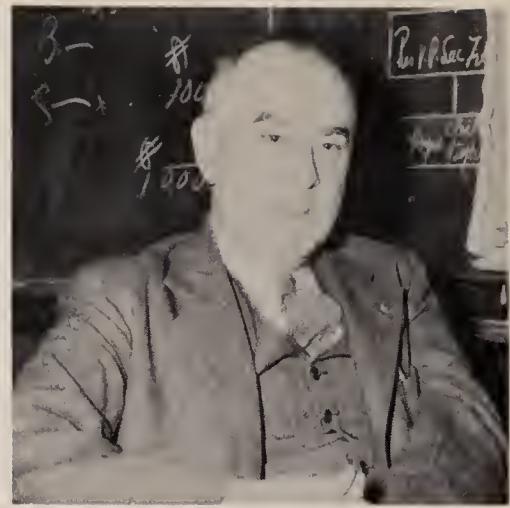
Columbia University.



COLIN T. WILSON, M.ED.

Likeable person—good-natured and friendly—his Leader Corps does him proud.

Springfield College.



ARTHUR F. WINSLOW, M.A.

Classes kept lively by his tongue—always ready with a snappy comeback — typical absent-minded professor.

University of Maine.



Jasper

MIRETTA L. BICKFORD, B.A.

Anxious that we do no wrong — knows her subject inside and out.

University of Maine.

MARY E. FLEMING, R.N.

Can see through anybody's headache —thinks football team better stick to ping-pong!

St. Francis Hospital.

ALICE J. MCGILLICUDDY, M.A.

Can crack a joke without a smile —demands accuracy.

Boston University.



Mr. Williams

#### OFFICE STAFF

Mrs. Lillian K. Friedman  
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Jasper Howard  
J. Howard Williams



# CLASS



1950



Seated, left to right: Toscano, French, Savitt, Hainsey, Garrity. Standing: J. Cooney, McMahon, Ferrero, Borden, Sharaf, Robert Lombardo. (not in picture—Baggish)

## CLASS OFFICERS

*President*

RICHARD FERRERO

*Treasurers*

WALTER BORDEN  
MARJORIE TOSCANO

*Orator*

ROBERT SHARAF

*Historians*

PATRICIA FRENCH  
WALTER McMAHON

*Marshall*

JOHN COONEY

*Testator*

ROBERT LOMBARDO

*Testatrix*

JOAN GARRITY

*Essayist*

LIBBY SAVITT

*Prophet*

DONALD BAGGISH

*Prophetess*

JANET SAKOFSKY

*Chairman of Reception Committee*

MARILYN HAINSEY

*Valedictorian*

NELLIE M. UCCELLO

*Salutatorian*

MARJORIE H. SODAFSKY

## RECEPTION COMMITTEE



Left to right: Walsh, Mollen, Hainsey, Kenny, Rosker, Baio.

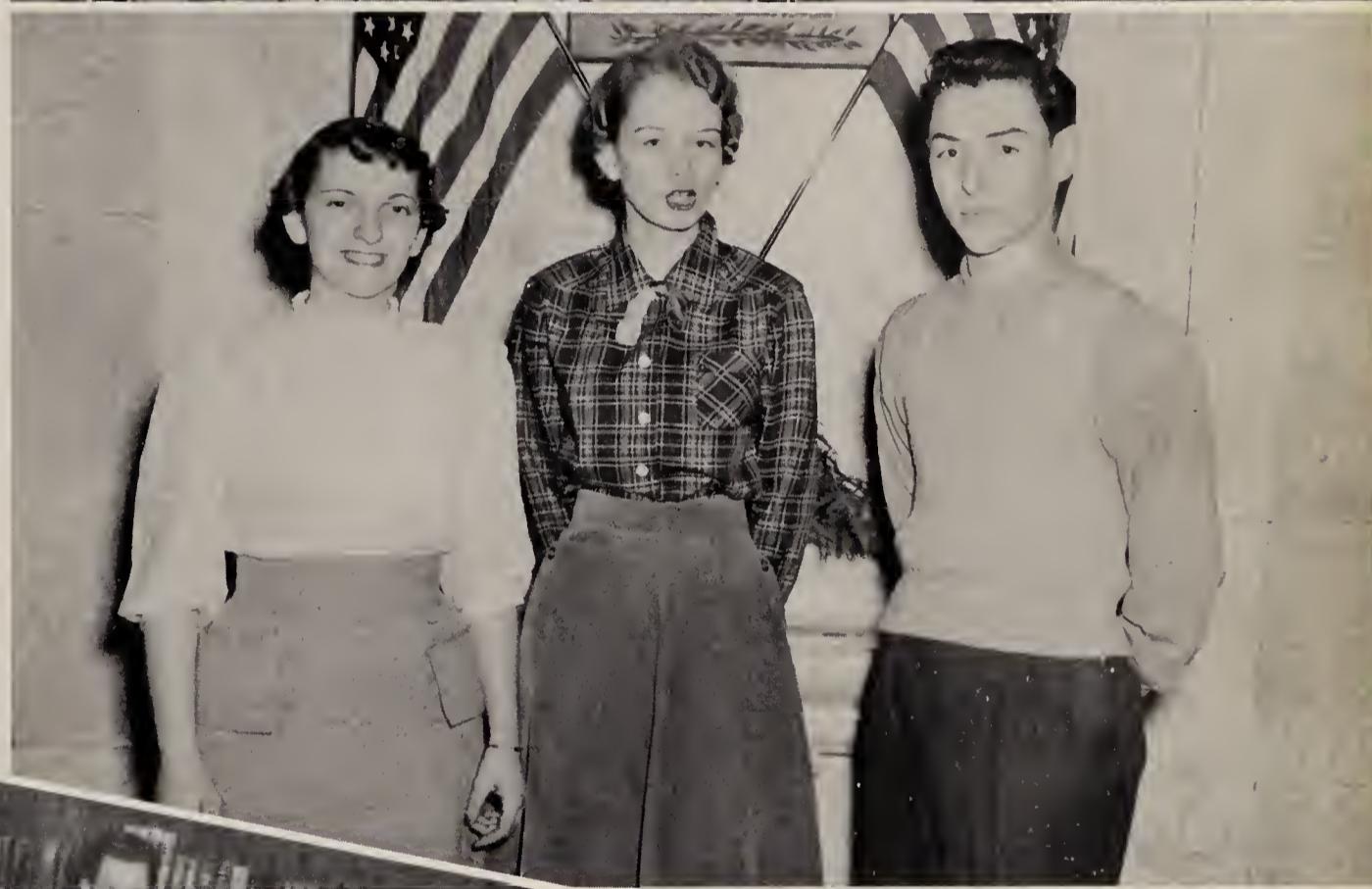
## NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Seated, left to right: Garrity, Murray, Cramer, Kenny, Lundy, Vallotti. Standing: Hoffman, Rosenbaum, J. Cooney, R. Kaufman, A. Smith, Shook.



## HONOR SOCIETY OFFICERS

Left to right: Yellin, Murray, M. Berman.



## PROJECTION SQUAD

Kneeling, left to right: Sonnenblick, Greenberg, Robbins, Neiditz. Seated: Schwartz, Yellin, North, Scharaga, Quirk, White, Smith. Standing: Nelson, Biederman, Schechner, Sowalsky.



MARJORIE ABRAMSON

"Margie" . . . quiet, business-like disposition . . . has a great appreciation for music . . . years spent at Weaver were really "wonderful" . . . has plans for a nursing career.

Clubs: Art - Crafts, Ingleside; Girls' League.



WILFRED ANDERSON, JR.

"Willy" . . . tall, handsome Casanova . . . likes to participate in all sports . . . also gets a kick out of preparing food! . . . plans to enter the restaurant business.

Clubs: Boys', Glee; Leader Corps. Teams: Baseball, Football, Track; Intramural Sports.



ZENIA ABRAMSON

"Jinx" or "Myrt" — take your pick! . . . neat dresser . . . always has troubles, especially with her hobby . . . enjoys reading, preferably Shakespeare, and good music.

Clubs: Astronomy, Camera (Treas.); Girls' League; Lookout Circulation Board; Goodwill Formal Committee.



OLIVER AUBE, JR.

"Frenchie" . . . little ball of fire . . . excellent in tumbling and other gymnastics . . . also partial to music . . . plans for a career as a band leader.

Leader Corps.



MARY ACCAPUTO

"Shorty" . . . a bundle of "glo" wherever she does go . . . usually seen chattering and laughing . . . enjoys dancing and ice skating . . . plans to become a secretary . . . years at Weaver "whizzed" by!

Girls' League.



LOIS BACOTE

"Dipper" . . . really cute but quiet . . . a "sharpie" . . . smooth dresser . . . lots of fun . . . cheerful personality . . . likes collecting autographs and old coins.

Girls' League.



RITA ACKERMAN

"Rit" . . . always smiling and ready to help . . . enjoys playing the piano . . . lovely wavy hair and peaches-and-cream complexion to match . . . medical secretary in the future.

Clubs: Biology, French, Record; Girls' League.



DONALD BAGGISH

The "Duke" . . . tall, dark, and a riot! . . . remember his imitations of teachers? . . . a swell guy and a real pal . . . loads of luck as a pharmacist, "Don."

Clubs: Biology, German, Glee, Physics; Intramural Sports; PORTAL Business Board.



NANCY ALFIERI

"Nan" . . . a reserved little miss — in school, that is! . . . amiable . . . oh, those big blue eyes! . . . loved Weaver almost as much as dancing . . . planning for a business career.

Girls' League.

DOMINIC BAIO

"Dom" . . . all-around swell guy . . . an asset to the Weaver band . . . very amiable . . . plans to play in a dance band as a career.

Band.





### GERALDINE BAVER

"Gerri" . . . great gal . . . glittering green eyes . . . ready with smile and joke for all . . . future dental hygienist . . . loved "almost every minute at Weaver!"

Biology Club; Girls' League; Honor Society.



### JUSTINA BENFORD

"Tina" . . . Weaver's quiet but kind-hearted "Dorothy Dix" . . . interested in sports (not only from the sidelines) . . . looks towards Florida A. & M., then secretarial work.

Girls' League; Leader Corps.



### JOAN BAXTER

"Joanie" . . . noted for those dimples . . . enjoys skating, reading, cooking, and music . . . special interest is "Al" . . . plans to become a typist . . . enjoyed all three years at Weaver.

Clubs: Ingleside. Record; Girls' League.



### JANE BENNETT

Jane . . . quiet and studious . . . enjoys painting in oils . . . plays the piano . . . plans to enter convent and become a missionary nun.

Clubs: Art-Crafts, Astronomy, Ingleside; Girls' League.



### WILLIAM BECKHAM

"Bill" . . . one swell fellow . . . agile fingers make him a master of the keyboard . . . noted for his friendliness . . . likes sports . . . plans to study music in Europe! . . . lots of luck.

Inter-High Choir. Clubs: Glee, Letter. Teams: Cross - Country, Track; PORTAL Board.



### MARILYN BENSON

Weaver's popular accompanist . . . always in demand . . . active in all musical organizations . . . sunny personality and oh, that chuckle! . . . plans include liberal arts college with music major . . . a bright future.

Clubs: French, Glee; Inter-High Choir; Girls' League; Honor Society.



### INA BEIZER

Call her "Inky" . . . Weaver's busiest citizen and one of its most popular . . . possesses wardrobe to be envied . . . plans to transfer her tireless energy to college activities . . . continued success!

Bands: Weaver, All-City, All-New England. Clubs: F.P.A., Spanish; Girls' League (Pres.); Leader Corps; Honor Society; Lookout Editorial Board; All-State Orchestra; PORTAL Board.



### NANCY BENSON

"Nan" . . . cute, petite, and friendly . . . cheerful disposition . . . many friends . . . enjoys playing piano . . . will work in a small office . . . "three best years of school!"

Girls' League; Ingleside Club.



### ALICE BENDELL

"Al" . . . dependable . . . a good follower . . . raises and exhibits birds . . . found teachers very pleasant and understanding! . . . a future teacher or medical secretary.

Clubs: Biology, French, Glee; Girls' League.



### JOEL BERMAN

"Joe" . . . quite a sense of humor . . . always a smile . . . often around the football field . . . the manager, of course . . . future owner of Berman's Department Store?

Clubs: Boys', Letter; Football Manager.



### MARSHALL BERMAN

"Sonny" . . . a good friend, honor student, and willing worker . . . loads of pals, especially the "Dukes" . . . camera bug . . . cheerful and agreeable always . . . a credit to Weaver.

Clubs: Boys', (Treas.), Camera, French, Physics; Jr. Usher; Honor Society, (Vice-Pres.); PORTAL Board, Editor.



### BARBARA BOSSI

"Bob" . . . sweet personality . . . constantly on the go . . . steady patron of the Skating Palace . . . especially fond of dancing . . . future office secretary.

Girls' League.



### ROBERT BIRD

"Bob" . . . red hair and wise-cracks . . . teachers' terror! . . . dotes on his faithful car (of rather antique vintage!) . . . mechanically inclined . . . hopes to travel.

Boys' Club.



### WARREN BOTELLE, JR.

"Whitey" . . . pleasant disposition . . . likes to talk . . . has great weakness for photography . . . enthusiastic about becoming a pilot . . . perhaps someday he'll fly through the air with the greatest of ease!

Clubs: Boys', Glee.



### JOAN BLEND

"Jodi" . . . blue eyes, blonde hair, and that every-ready smile . . . usually seen hurrying through the halls with books galore . . . enjoys summer camping . . . plans a nursing career.

Girls' League; Leader Corps.



### HERBERT BRIGHTMAN

"Herby" . . . an avid baseball fan . . . his team, The St. Louis Cardinals . . . usually seen scooting around town on the motorcycle from his Dad's gas station!



### HARRIET BORDEN

Small and dark . . . likes to dance . . . collector of poems . . . usually seen with "Pixie"! . . . plans for office or secretarial work.

Girls' League.



### EDGAR BRISSON

One of our fabulous clowns . . . nice to have him in the room—especially when the teacher is out! . . . always had a joke to crack or a spitball to throw!



### WALTER BORDEN

"Walt" . . . a Weaver "wheel" . . . popular with both fellows and girls . . . nice blue eyes . . . an all-around guy . . . a backfield star and a good student . . . speaks softly but with authority.

A.A. (Pres.). Clubs: Biology, Letter; Football Team.



### JACQUELINE BRODERICK

"Jackie" . . . very quiet and reserved . . . Junior Achievement enthusiast . . . collects postcards . . . spends much time reading about aviation . . . plans to be a pilot and fly around the world!





DELORES BROWN

"Brownie" . . . friendly with great personality . . . one of Weaver's "Bop" fans . . . likes sports and dancing . . . plans to attend Morse College . . . Weaver was "great"!

Girls' League.



THOMAS CALVI

"Tom" . . . very quiet disposition . . . always wears a pleasant smile . . . often listens; seldom talks . . . has great weakness for sports . . . plans to enter the field of electricity.

Boys' Club.



WILLIAM BURKE

"Dipsy" . . . happy-go-lucky fellow . . . likes to build model airplanes . . . lover of sports . . . striving to be a golf pro . . . close competitor of Sammy Snead's!

Clubs: Boys', Letter; Golf Team (Capt.)



CHRISTINE CARTER

"Chris" . . . friendly personality . . . always wears a smile . . . a zealous sports fan . . . likes baseball and basketball . . . had a grand time at Weaver . . . plans a career in nursing.

Girls' League; Glee Club.



RICHARD BURROWS

"Pete" . . . quiet, calm disposition . . . has an aptitude for mechanics . . . likes to tinker with cars . . . might go into the auto repair business . . . had a wonderful time at Weaver.

Boys' Club.



NICHOLAS CARUCCI, JR.

"Nick" . . . quiet and intelligent . . . a college aspirant . . . three cheers for the Detroit Tigers! . . . enjoyed his stay in our hallowed halls.

Boys' Club; Junior Usher.



BARBARA CAESAR

"Bobby" . . . enthusiastic in all she undertakes . . . always has a smile . . . ardent football fan . . . enjoys good music . . . plays the piano . . . a future office worker.

Girls' League; Ingleside Club; Lookout Typist.



ROBERTA CASSARA

"Bobby," to those who know her . . . a very cheerful gal . . . conscientious student with a generous dash of school spirit . . . nursing is her goal — lucky patients!

Girls' League; PORTAL Business Board.



FLORENCE CALVI

"Flo" . . . quiet, shy, and reserved . . . serious thinker . . . ardent tennis enthusiast . . . one of Weaver's bright hopefules for the teaching profession . . . problem children, beware!

Girls' League.



ROBERT CHAPPELL

"Bob" . . . good-looking "chap" . . . blushes at slightest excuse . . . blessed Weaver with fine athletic ability . . . ready to "tackle" any problem . . . comment on Weaver, "best years I ever had"!

Boys' Club; Football Team.





ROBERT CHRISTISON

"Chris" . . . noted for those devilish eyes . . . always in the middle of fun . . . very seldom not talking . . . interested in sports and girls . . . favorite period was study hall . . . plans to attend college.

Boys' Club.



ELAINE COHEN

Tiny and slim . . . friendly personality and cheerful disposition . . . enjoys all kinds of sports . . . plans to attend business school . . . "proud to be one of Weaver's graduates."

Girls' League; Honor Society.



ANGELO CICCARELLO, JR.

"Chick" . . . our own Gregory Peck . . . tall, dark, and domineering . . . silent, but oh, so smooth! . . . ring master of any event . . . Weaver missed his basketball ability.

Boys' Club.



JAY COHEN

Usually seen (and heard) bouncing along in that bright red shirt . . . drummer at heart . . . thought Weaver great, but oh, those six subjects! . . . television camera-man his next aim.

Boys' Club.



LUCY CICORIA

"Lou" . . . quiet and companionable . . . sews her own clothes . . . spends her leisure time reading good books . . . future plans include clerical work.

Girls' League.



NEWTON COHEN

"Newt" . . . shy with the ladies but not with the guys! . . . avid Detroit Tigers rooter . . . always organizing some type of team, no matter what the season!

Camera Club.



ROBERT CLAFFEY

"Moose" . . . cheerful and studious . . . an ardent sports fan . . . likes to dance . . . never will forget his "good old days" at Weaver . . . has plans for more education.

Boys' Club.



WILLIAM COHEN

"Bill" . . . sports enthusiast . . . good gymnast . . . helps keep order in the gym . . . likes to bowl . . . a flash on the cinder track . . . pals around with "Tot."

Leader Corps; Track Team.



EDWARD CLEMENS

"Clem" . . . many a girl has sighed in vain! . . . those long eyelashes! . . . quiet and nice . . . plans for the future include a business career.

Boys' Club.



EVELYN COHN

Dark-eyed "Evie" . . . sweet and petite . . . soft voice with something to say . . . musical interest . . . future goal — becoming a dental hygienist . . . enjoyed Weaver "very much."

Girls' League; Lookout Circulation Board.





### ANN COLLINS

"Nancy" . . . green-eyed with gleaming red hair . . . always "hep" to the latest fashion in clothes . . . plans include a business career . . . wishes she were a Sophomore again!

Clubs: Biology (Treas.), Business, Ingleside; Girls' League.



### JOYCE COOK

"Cookie" and just as sweet . . . one of Weaver's more "serious-minded" students . . . enjoys discussing worldly affairs and collecting books . . . thought Weaver a great school with a greater faculty, and the greatest student body!

Biology Club; Girls' League; Lookout Circulation Board.



### JOHN COONEY

"Honest John" . . . always on hand with a good joke . . . a close competitor of Milton Berle . . . personality no end . . . never had a dull moment at Weaver . . . really a swell guy.

Boys' Club; Basketball Team; Honor Society; Junior Council; Nominating Committee.



### RICHARD COONEY

"Dick" . . . great conversationalist . . . has plenty of wit . . . always wears a playful, roguish smile on his face . . . pleasing disposition . . . eager to make friends.

Boys' Club.



### CATHERINE CORDOVA

"Cathy," to her many friends . . . quiet but not shy . . . never without her smile . . . her voice is a delight . . . future plans include office work.

Girls' League; Glee Club.



### ELDON COYKENDALL, JR.

"Corky" . . . can really beat out a hot tune on a piano . . . one of our acrobats . . . makes light of some daring stunts . . . drives quite a car!

Leader Corps.



### MARY CRAMER

Petite and cute . . . interested in sewing . . . makes most of her own clothes . . . always ready with a laugh . . . ardent Weaver supporter . . . comment: "a lot of fun, but oh, for 1950"!

Leader Corps; Girls' League.



### JOSEPH CROMARTY

Call him "Sam" . . . long and lanky . . . Weaver's own clown! . . . always ready with a quip . . . famed for his "zany" cartoons —well drawn! . . . calls years at Weaver "bee-you-ti-ful"!

Boys' Club; Honor Society.



### DENNIS CRONIN

"Denny" . . . not "Dimwit" . . . lanky with a charming Southern drawl . . . freckles and auburn hair . . . pleasing personality . . . future plans include U.S. Marine Corps.

Baseball Team; Letter Club.



### LOUIS CURTIS

Long and lanky . . . quiet manner . . . spends many happy hours square dancing . . . really good at it! . . . country boy at heart . . . has a bright future as a dairy farmer.



THE  
LIGHTER  
SIDE .

• SPLENDOR



• SPIRIT



• HARMONY



The Formula for Fond  
Memories.



WILLIAM DALTON

"Al" . . . a new arrival in September . . . quite a sensation in chem and trig classes . . . science and record-collecting intrigue him . . . ambition (but of course!)—to be a chemist.



RICHARD DAVIS

"Be Bop" . . . carefree attitude . . . very "sharp" dresser . . . dancing and singing occupy much of his time . . . thought the teachers were the greatest but they gave him a hard time!

Boys' Club; Track Team.



SARA DAMPSKY

"Sair" . . . a quiet and pleasing personality . . . conscientious student . . . sincere and loyal friend . . . fond of drawing . . . neat dresser . . . future plans include college.

Girls' League; Honor Society. Clubs: Biology, Spanish.



FRANCIS DEACON

"Sonny" . . . tall, dark, and handsome . . . sunny smile . . . attracted by the opposite sex . . . hopes to enter the radio announcing field . . . his opinion of Weaver—"excellent school, wonderful teachers, friendly students"!



THOMAS D'ANNOLFO

"Del" . . . as jolly as Santa Claus! . . . likes sports . . . delightful personality . . . always wears a smile . . . had very enjoyable years at Weaver with lots of fun . . . future undecided.

Boys' Club.



JAMES DEFEMIA, JR.

"Albino" . . . makes friends easily . . . wonderful joker . . . has great weakness for sports . . . interested in youth progress . . . always will have a good word for Weaver . . . plans for a career in the Merchant Marine.

Clubs: Art-Crafts, Boys'..



MARY DAVEY

Affectionately called "Dimples" by her class friends . . . wonderful disposition . . . brains with personality plus . . . enthusiastic fan at all games . . . future linguist.

Clubs: French, Glee; Cheerleader; Girls' League; Honor Society.



MARION DEGRUTTOLA

"Porky" . . . lustrous brown hair . . . slim with nice disposition . . . athletic . . . enjoys letter writing . . . twinkling eyes and numerous friends . . . plans to be a medical secretary.

Leader Corps; Girls' League.



MARANITA DAVIS

"Nita" . . . full of fun and pep . . . enjoys music and reading . . . never knows a dull moment . . . plans to join some branch of the service.

Lookout Business Board; Girls' League.



JANET DIFAZIO

"Jan" . . . flashing smile . . . wardrobe envied by many girls . . . fond of dancing, roller skating, and baseball . . . plans to become a receptionist . . . loved all three years at Weaver.

Girls' League.





ROBERT DILLON

"Bob" . . . friendly . . . the familiar collector of attendance slips . . . baseball fan . . . interested in engineering career . . . left a good impression with all.

Boys' Club; Basketball Team (Mgr.); Honor Society.



SHIRLEY DOBRUCK

Sweet little blue-eyed blonde . . . calm, cool, and collected . . . loves to dance . . . has high hopes to travel . . . says, "years at Weaver were fun, but I'm glad they're over"!

Girls' League.



RITA DiMELLA

Everyone's friend . . . personality personified . . . cause of many a masculine glance . . . loves to dance . . . likes sports . . . one of best-looking girls in class . . . oh, those big brown eyes!

Cheerleader; Business Club; Leader Corps; Girls' League (Treas.); Honor Society; PORTAL Board.



LEON DOLBY

Jovial and good-natured . . . always gets a big laugh out of life . . . popular with students . . . enjoyed years at Weaver, but wants to get out and "at work"!

Boys' Club.



JOSEPHINE DiNATALE

"Jo" . . . full of pep and personality . . . loves dancing, bowling, and chewing gum! . . . ardent football fan . . . plans to become a private secretary . . . "hates to leave."

Girls' League.



MARY DOYLE

"Dimples" . . . quiet and petite . . . good companion and fun to be with . . . has many friends . . . usually seen taking pictures with that little camera . . . Weaver was "wonderful."

Business Club; Girls' League.



SANDRA DINER

"Sandy" . . . a gal with a voice and an eager ambition to continue in the musical world . . . a future opera star . . . guaranteed success!

Choirs: All - State, Inter-High; Girls' League; Glee Club.



EDWARD DUBCHY

"Ed" . . . a tall lad . . . good-natured and quiet . . . claims he had a hard time getting where he is now! . . . future plans include trade school.

Boys' Club.



MARY ANN DINOVELLIS

Girls' League representative for 240! . . . what a job! . . . sweet personality . . . usually seen smiling . . . interested in all sports . . . loves to dance . . . plans to continue insurance job.

Girls' League.



BARBARA DUBOSAR

"Bobby" . . . loves to read . . . music enthusiast . . . must keep up with the sports! . . . future plans include finding a suitable job plus a husband!

Girls' League.





### EMERSON DUNTON

"Emie" . . . spent most of his time in the gym . . . "daring young man on the flying trapeze" . . . finds the "femmes" attractive . . . social rather than academic life was his specialty!

Boys' Club; Leader Corps (Pres.).



### DOROTH EASINSKY

"Dimples" . . . husky-voiced . . . a girl who is fun to be with . . . interested in dress designing and air line hostessing . . . plans nursing in Air Corps . . . enjoyed "Superb School"!

Girls' League.



### IRMA EICHELMAN

"Irm" . . . cheerful and friendly toward all . . . short and sweet . . . loyal Weaverite 'til the end . . . headed for a "home economics" career.

Clubs: Art-Crafts, Business, Camera, Ingleside; Girls' League.



### IRMA ELMAN

"Irm" . . . a natural born executive . . . efficient and conscientious worker . . . popular music fan . . . loves bowling . . . quiet in school . . . headed toward a promising business career.

Business Club; Girls' League; Lookout Typist.



### SANDRA ELOVICH

"Sandy" . . . friendly with terrific personality! . . . jolly disposition . . . enjoys drawing . . . has a weakness for dogs . . . plans to operate a gift or pet shop . . . spent long but happy years at Weaver!

Art-Crafts Club; Girls' League.



### NANCY EPSTEIN

"Nan" . . . the girl with that certain "air" . . . clothes galore . . . spent more time at home than at school! but still thought years at Weaver "out of this world."

Clubs: Camera, Record; Girls' League; Lookout Business and Circulation Boards.



### ROSS EPSTEIN

"Rossie" . . . whiz on the ping-pong table and the tennis court . . . "Harv's buddy" . . . has travelled a great deal: California, Springfield . . . plans entering special school.

Clubs: Biology, Boys'; Tennis Team.



### JOHN ERMAKOVICH, JR.

"Mack" . . . usually seen standing on his hands . . . Leader Corps boy! . . . especially interested in automobiles . . . future plans include starting a business . . . "enjoyed Weaver" . . . loads of luck.

Boys' Club; Leader Corps; Junior T. B. Board.



### JOYCE ERTMAN

"Joycie" . . . another enthusiastic Red Sox Fan! . . . hopes to be a travelling gal . . . collects picture postcards from all over the world . . . a future dental hygienist.

Biology Club; Girls' League.



### LEWIS FEIN

"Lew" . . . tall with flashing blue eyes . . . easy-going . . . a prominent member of Keney Park society! . . . popular on the baseball diamond and the gravel path . . . a future pharmacist.

Clubs: Biology, French; Leader Corps; Track Team.





DOMINIC FERRAINA

"Dom" . . . sincere friend and classmate . . . broad, massive build . . . a favorite with Weaver's sports fans . . . starred in football, baseball, and basketball . . . an all-around credit to Weaver.

Clubs: Boys' (Pres.), French, Letter; Honor Society; Teams: Baseball, Basketball, Football (Capt.).



RICHARD FLUET

"Dick" . . . teacher's pet! . . . terror in school and out . . . hopes to travel when he becomes a prosperous businessman . . . likes dancing and women . . . thought Weaver hard but enjoyable! . . . left in Jan.!

Boys' Club.



RICHARD FERRERO

"Dick" . . . good-natured with pleasant smile . . . personality plus . . . known by everyone . . . Weaver's young "Thales" . . . his hobbies—sports and listening to good music . . . well suited for a career of electrical engineering.

Clubs: Boys', German (Sec.-Treas.), Physics; PORTAL Business Manager.



EDWIN FORAND

"Tiny" . . . lots of fun to be with . . . a close follower of the female species . . . well rounded individual . . . likes to bowl.

Boys' Club; Lookout Circulation Board.



JOAN FITZPATRICK

"Fitzie" . . . has a knack for sewing . . . makes her own clothes . . . has a circus of her own . . . collects stuffed animals! . . . a future office worker.

Girls' League.



DONNA FORMAN

"Don" . . . blonde bombshell with blue eyes . . . peaches-and-cream complexion . . . wows opposite sex . . . one of Weaver's busier bees . . . queen in field of art.

Clubs: Art-Crafts, Biology, Business; Girls' League; Lookout Business Board.



LORRAINE FLANAGAN

"Lolly" . . . pleasant personality . . . easy to get along with . . . plays the accordion . . . hopes to settle down, but first plans to be a telephone operator.

Girls' League.



PATRICIA FRENCH

"Pat" . . . tall and blonde with dimples! . . . sparkling and gay . . . an extremely well-liked gal . . . square dances like a "pro" . . . always in a hurry . . . will someday transfer her enthusiasm to teaching.

Leader Corps (Pres.); Girls' League; Honor Society; PORTAL Board.



ANNETTE FLITT

"Nettie" . . . another of Weaver's bright hopefuls for the business world . . . will make some dentist a quiet, efficient assistant . . . likes to read and dance . . . possesses that certain something that attracts all!

Business Club; Girls' League; Lookout Circulation Board.



ELAINE FRIEDLAND

Friendly smile and cute saying make "E" nice to know . . . famous for knitting unfinished sweaters . . . career in medical field is her goal . . . wouldn't have missed going to Weaver "for the world"!

Clubs: Art - Crafts, Biology, Girls' League.





IRWIN FRIEDMAN

"Duke" . . . agreeable disposition . . . quiet . . . what a smile! . . . sports lover . . . track and intramural handball his chief diversions . . . undecided as to future.



PATRICIA GAY

"Pat" . . . tall, slim, and attractive . . . usually seen chewing gum and writing notes . . . enjoys playing the piano . . . plans to become an air hostess . . . "lucky passengers"!

Girls' League.



AILEEN FUCHS

"Ai" . . . a talented gal with a sweet and sunny disposition . . . ardent bridge fan . . . future plans include music school and maybe someone special?

Girls' League. Clubs: German, Glee.



NORMAN GAYLOR

"Ray" . . . a member of that illustrious team of "Bob," "Gerry," and "Joe" . . . enjoys a good joke . . . good tennis arm . . . a Weaver crooner . . . hopes to don uniform of Uncle Sam's Army.

Clubs: Astronomy (Pres.), Biology, German, Glee. Teams: Cross-Country, Tennis.



JOSEPHINE FUMIATTI

"Jo" . . . friendly . . . usually seen with a smile . . . a future office worker . . . would have enjoyed Weaver more if there had been no homework!

Girls' League.



PETER GERACI

Known to all as "Pete" . . . short, light, and friendly . . . loyal Weaver fan . . . well liked by all who know him . . . good luck!



NICHOLAS GANDZA

"Scoot" or "Scooter" . . . a build female "Beavers" admire . . . noted for outstanding athletic ability . . . easy-going . . . loves a joke or a polka . . . has "engineering" plans.

Clubs: Boys', Letter; Honor Society. Teams: Basketball, Football, Track.



MORTON GERSHMAN

"Mort" . . . likeable and unassuming . . . active in intramural sports . . . collects stamps and coins . . . plans to attend U. Conn. . . . hopes years at college will be as happy as those at Weaver!

Spanish Club.



JOAN GARRITY

"Joanie" . . . brown hair, blue-eyed beauty with a dynamic personality . . . especially noted for those freckles! . . . everybody's helper and friend . . . popular with both sexes . . . ardent football fan.

A.A. (Sec.). Clubs: Astronomy, Business; Girls' League (Vice-Pres.); Honor Society; Nominating Committee.



FRED GILLIAM

"Freddie" . . . great friend . . . pleasing disposition . . . always a smile on his face . . . has a weakness for sports . . . enjoyed years at Weaver.





JEROME GINSBERG

"Jerry" . . . an all-around nice kid . . . likes sports . . . always wanted to play the drums! . . . enjoyed his three years at Weaver . . . loads of luck.

Astronomy Club.



BURTON GOLDFARB

"Burt" . . . quiet and unassuming . . . a friend to everyone . . . one of Weaver's Junior Ushers . . . likes to collect stamps . . . accounting will be his career.

Biology Club; Junior Usher.



SONYA GITLEN

"Sonny" . . . noted for her giggles . . . enjoyable companion to all . . . a music lover and sports fan . . . plans to attend an advanced business school or to continue working . . . found Weaver "terrific"!

Clubs: Biology, Business; Girls' League.



HARVEY GOLDSTEIN

"Pretty Boy" . . . reddish blond hair plus freckles and contagious smile . . . that's "Harv" . . . up and coming musician . . . lives for and loves music

Band (Pres.); Boys' Club; Honor Society; Junior Usher; Orchestra.



GERALD GLASSMAN

"Jerry" . . . wavy hair, nice smile, good-natured . . . has a great knowledge about cameras and their equipment . . . will make a good business man.

Clubs: Biology, Boys', Glee; Cross-Country Team.



HERMAN GOLDSTEIN

"Herm" . . . a firm believer in the rights of the individual . . . scientifically inclined . . . a good tennis player . . . knows the rules of every game . . . will not back down for anything or anybody! . . . everyone knows him or has heard him!

Clubs: Biology, Boys', German, Physics; Tennis Team.



JOHN GLEASON

"Jack" . . . rugged type . . . warm smile for all . . . active Weaver supporter . . . a slightly terrific football center with an all-around interest in sports.

Clubs: Boys', Letter; Football Team; Intramural Sports.



AUDREY GOODE

"Aud" . . . always wears a pleasant smile . . . friendly disposition . . . has charms that are hard to resist . . . loves winter sports—especially ice skating! . . . a future nurse.

Girls' League.



GERALD GOLDEN

"Jerry" . . . a football stalwart . . . good student and good-natured too . . . fast with the answers in chemistry . . . hopes to major in physics at college.

Clubs: Boys', German, Glee; Honor Society; Junior Usher; Football Team.

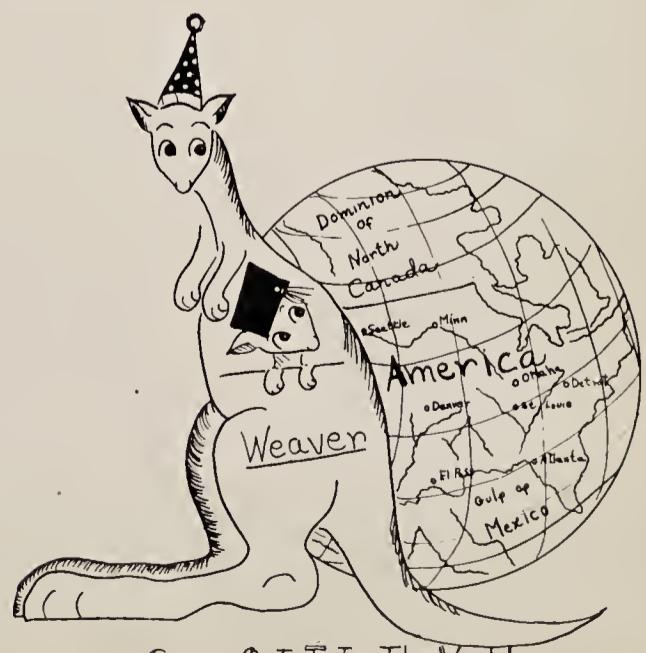


SIDNEY GORDON

"Sid" . . . happy-go-lucky . . . always ready with a friendly smile . . . got a lot of enjoyment out of Weaver . . . plans to work in radio and television . . . oh, that curly hair!

Clubs: Boys', Astronomy.







JAMES GRANT

"Hollywood" . . . rather quiet . . . friendly disposition . . . stands high both in stature and ideals . . . years at Weaver really left an impression on him . . . plans to enter the radio field.

Boys' Club.



ELEANOR GRIMALDI

"Ellie" . . . noted for those laughing eyes and flashing smile . . . enjoys all sports and particularly likes to watch boxing matches . . . special interest is "Chet" . . . future plans include office work.

Girls' League.



BARBARA GRAVES

"Boots" . . . pleasing personality . . . quiet manner . . . loves to read . . . future plans still in question . . . will always remember her enjoyable years at Weaver.

Girls' League.



GEORGE GRISEVICH

"Griz" . . . well liked . . . a whiz with a gun or fishing rod . . . a football end . . . track man, too! . . . headed for college.

Boys' Club. Teams: Football, Track.



FAYE GRAVES

"Jane" . . . hopes to travel in her spare time . . . other future plans include college plus nursing school . . . she loves animals! . . . Could it be our circus will have a veterinarian?

Girls' League.



RHODA GROSSMAN

"Rho" . . . tall beauty . . . Weaver's most promising gift to the modeling world . . . beautiful clothes . . . smooth and sophisticated . . . lovely eyes . . . good luck to a deserving classmate!

Astronomy Club; Girls' League.



CYNTHIA GREENBERG

"Cyn" . . . blonde gal with a sweet grin . . . nice to look at, swell to know . . . piano enthusiast . . . plans include college . . . thought Weaver "tops."

Clubs: Biology, Camera (Sec.), C.H.L.S., Chess, French; Girls' League.



JOAN GUERRIERO

"Joanie" . . . Weaver's most faithful cheerer . . . don't think she missed a game! . . . Busy Beaver in girls' sports . . . always there to lend a helping hand.

Girls' League. Clubs: Business, Ingleside.



ROBERT GREENBERG

"Bob" . . . quiet lad with a ready smile . . . industrious and willing to help . . . enjoys many hobbies . . . plans to pursue an art career . . . years at Weaver "went by quickly."

Clubs: Art - Crafts, Biology, Boys'.



MARILYN HAINSEY

Brown hair, green-eyed beauty . . . personality that's tops . . . popular with both sexes . . . wonderful artist and painter . . . plans to attend Hartford Art School . . . ardent football fan . . . definitely enjoyed her years at Weaver.

Art-Crafts Club; Leader Corps; Girls' League.







CAROL JACKSON

A loyal but less conspicuous Weaver rooter . . . everyone's pal . . . sincere and conscientious student . . . keeps a slim figure through sports . . . great potentialities.

Biology Club; Girls' League.



GLORIA JACKSON

"Snake Eyes" . . . tall, slim, attractive . . . oh, that hypnotic look! . . . enjoys playing the piano . . . faithful sports fan . . . plans to become a model or hairdresser . . . lots of luck!

Girls' Sports.



WILBUR JONES

"Will" . . . the little guy with the big brain . . . very studious . . . a natural quickness of intellect . . . pleasing personality . . . hopes to become a teacher!

Clubs: Boys', Astronomy (Sec.).



JAMES JORDAN

"Jim" . . . quiet with friendly smile . . . loves athletics . . . well liked by his many friends . . . weakness was oral compositions! . . . thought Weaver teachers were considerate . . . is that right, "Jim"?

Boys' Club.



ALEXANDER KANTROWITZ

"Alex," "Sonny," or "Stewy," . . . he's all one! . . . music main interest . . . plays a mean sax and clarinet . . . considering Navy for future . . . thought Weaver loads of fun.

Band; All-State Orchestra; Boys' Club.



CAROL KAPLAN

A very well known girl . . . quiet, except among friends . . . attempted sophistication . . . many hidden talents . . . plans include college and some branch of medical field.

Clubs: Biology, Camera, French (Vice-Pres.); Girls' League.



MARILYN KATZEN

"Lyn" . . . famous for those dimples . . . always full of enthusiasm . . . envied for those self-knit sweaters . . . had "lots of fun in Weaver halls" . . . hopes to be a buyer for a store in future.

Clubs: Art-Crafts, F.P.A.; Lookout Circulation Board; Girls' League.



ARLENE KAUFMAN

"Ar" . . . a nice girl with a wonderful sense of humor . . . scientific turn of mind . . . musical interest . . . plans college . . . years at Weaver "went too fast"!

Biology Club; Girls' League; Honor Society; Lookout Circulation Board.



BEATRICE KAUFMAN

"Bea" . . . quiet, even, and sweet temperament . . . conscientious and active worker . . . sincere friend . . . green-ink fiend! . . . writes, dances, collects stamps . . . college, here she comes!

Clubs: Biology, Camera, Record; Lookout Editorial Board; Girls' League.



INGE KAUFMAN

"Inky" . . . full of fun and laughs . . . faithful football rooter . . . especially interested in music and art . . . plans to attend Pratt Institute for textile designing.

Art-Crafts Club; Girls' League; Lookout Advertising Board; Lookout Typist.



### ROSALIND KAUFMAN

Known to friends as "Roz" in big, bold letters . . . the girl with the beautiful eyes . . . husky voice heard everywhere . . . aims at journalism in college . . . an unforgettable girl.

Clubs: C.H.L.S., French, Physics (Sec.-Treas.), Record, Spanish; Girls' League; PORTAL Business Board; Nominating Committee; Honor Society.



### EILEEN KELLEHER

Sweet and petite with the nicest smile . . . a fun (and dance) loving miss . . . envy those lucky patients when she's a nurse!

Girls' League.



### JOHN KELLIHER

"Jack" . . . tall whiz on the basketball float . . . a well liked lad with personality plus . . . active worker in Beaver affairs.

Basketball Team (Capt.); Letter Club (Sec.).



### PATRICIA KENNEDY

"Pat" . . . those dark eyes! . . . very quiet and also very conscientious student . . . music she craves . . . calls years at Weaver, "busy but enjoyable."

Clubs: Business, Spanish; Honor Society; Girls' League.



### ARLITA KENNY

"Dimples" . . . noted for her jolly disposition and pleasing personality . . . ambitious . . . strictly a football fan . . . has made many friends . . . "pal" to all.

Leader Corps; Girls' League.



### HOWARD KIDD, JR.

Better known as "Red" or "Captain Kidd" . . . quiet and shy—until you get to know him! . . . red hair, green eyes . . . the ideal of many girls' dreams.

Leader Corps.



### PHYLLIS KILBY

"Lucky" . . . a sweet smile and a tiny voice . . . does her bareback riding on bronze horses (she collects them!) . . . prefers roller skating to walking! . . . hopes to be an air line hostess.

Girls' League.



### REVA KINDSER

"Shorty" . . . soft-spoken . . . pleasing personality . . . loves a good book . . . enthusiastic tennis player . . . enjoys swimming . . . plans to study languages at college.

Clubs: Art-Crafts, F.P.A., German; Lookout Advertising Board.



### RAYMOND KORNBRATH

"Ray" . . . Weaver's Tarzan . . . muscles, muscles, and more muscles! . . . devilish glint in his eyes . . . tried not to let his studies worry him!

Boys' Club; Football Team.



### FRANCINE KOSTIN

"Fran" . . . twinkling eyes and pearly smile . . . a girl with a well timed comment . . . music and movies take up time . . . plans to become a dental hygienist.

F.P.A.; Girls' League.





DAVID KRAMER

"Dave" . . . tall with uncurly hair! . . . considerate . . . a friend to all . . . hard worker . . . best wishes for success in the fields of law and accountancy.

Clubs: Biology, French; Look-out Editorial Board.



EDWARD KRECHEVSKY

"Eddie" . . . a member of the "car a month club!" . . . extremely good-natured . . . friendly disposition . . . joking is his specialty . . . loads of friends . . . enjoyed years at Weaver . . . a future businessman.

Clubs: Biology, Commercial (Sec. and Vice-Pres.).



ALAN KRUTT

"Al" . . . the Great Profile . . . knows a lot about cars . . . great musical possibilities (sax and clarinet) . . . very practical . . . can find his way around!

Glee Club.



HARRY LANIADO

"The Cat" . . . personality . . . interested in Weaver girls, sports, model planes, "ham" writing . . . swooned all the "femmes" as a Weaver Night crooner . . . future in college or the clothing business!

Baseball Team; Spanish Club.



LOLITA LANPHER

Call her "Louie" . . . after extensive travel, alighted at Weaver! . . . a newcomer who fitted in . . . plans to study in "ivy-covered halls" next year . . . thought Weaver "informative and fun."

Girls' League; Ingleside Club.



SONDRA LASSOW

"Son" . . . medium-sized girl with a northern drawl . . . handy at knitting, sewing, and piano . . . plans college . . . years at Weaver were loads of fun."

Girls' League; Ingleside Club.



JANET LAW

A combination of blonde hair and lovely blue eyes . . . enjoys dancing and swimming . . . although reserved, one of Weaver's ardent rooters . . . medical secretary highlights ambition.

Girls' League; Ingleside Club (Treas.).



MALCOLM LAZINSK

"Mal" . . . broad-build . . . full of life . . . Weaver's super automobile salesman (he drives a Ford!) . . . friendly disposition . . . enjoys sports second best to pretty skirts! . . . good-natured and tactful . . . on the whole, a swell fellow!

Intramural Sports; Lookout Business Board; Spanish Club.



JAMES LEAMY

"Spike" . . . keen sense of humor . . . a swell friend . . . basketball and women interest him primarily . . . plans for future undecided . . . thought the senior year went by too fast!

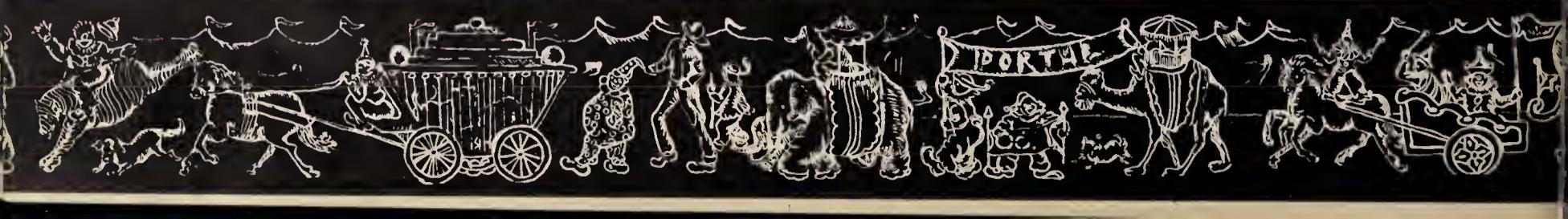
Basketball Squad; Boys' Club.



DWYNNE LEE

"Dupie" . . . friendly and congenial . . . always seen with a smile . . . a red-hot basketball player . . . enjoys all sports . . . future includes the physical education field.

Girls' League; Girls' Sports.





### HILDA LEE

"Hill" . . . a circus full of fabulous charms . . . quiet, pleasing disposition . . . likes to make friends . . . spent very interesting years at Weaver . . . plans to continue education at Bennett College.

Clubs: Art-Crafts, Ingleside (Vice-Pres.); Girls' League.



### WILLIAM LEFEBVRE, JR.

"Pat" . . . easy-going with a dry sense of humor . . . very active participant in athletics . . . good sport . . . always seen running somewhere . . . thought Weaver people "one big happy family"!

Leader Corps; Football Team.



### LOUIS LEONE

"Skippy" . . . good-looking fellow . . . shy, but with a rare smile . . . usually views the world from underneath a car . . . regarding Weaver, "last year is the best" . . . favorite haunt, the gym!

Boys' Club; Leader Corps.



### EILEEN LESSNER

Cute, curvaceous "Ei" . . . quiet, friendly type . . . had her share of "troubles" at Weaver but enjoyed it all! . . . remember, "Ei" —See you on Broadway!

Girls' League.



### SHIRLEY LESSOW

"Shirl" . . . small and dark . . . possesses a lovely voice . . . gentle nature to be used for teaching career . . . had a little difficulty with the swinging doors!

Clubs: Biology, F.P.A., Glee; Girls' League; Inter-High Choir.



### MARTIN LEVIN

"Cris" . . . a red-hot rooter for the Brooklyn Dodgers . . . likes to dance . . . lives to love, loves to laugh! . . . an experienced driver (60 m.p.h. is tame!) . . . always ready to tell a good joke or laugh at one.

Clubs: Boys', Biology.



### IVAN LEWIS, JR.

"Archie" . . . quiet, friendly disposition . . . studious and ambitious . . . spent very enjoyable years at Weaver . . . plans to enter trade school and prepare for a career in mechanics.

Boys' Club.



### MURIEL LEWIS

"Lou" . . . new girl at Weaver . . . outstanding personality . . . experienced baby-sitter . . . loves classical music . . . hopes to continue study of piano and organ.

F.P.A.; Girls' League.



### RICCARDO LOMBARDO

"Rick" . . . friendly, easy-going individual . . . good-natured . . . always ready for fun . . . "slightly" confused by the opposite sex! . . . enjoyed Weaver tremendously.

Commercial Club.



### ROBERT LOMBARDO

"Bob" . . . dark, curly hair . . . wide smile and winning personality . . . musical talents galore . . . active in Weaver social life . . . popular with the fairer sex . . . plans to make music his career . . . did a lot for Weaver.

Clubs: Biology, Boys', Record, Glee. Bands: All-State, All-City, Weaver; All-City Orchestra; Inter-High Choir (Choirmaster); Junior Prom Committee (Chairman); Junior Usher; PORTAL Board; Projection Squad; Honor Society; Junior Council.





## W E A V E R   H I G H   S C H O O L

As we pass out from your portals,  
We remember all the days,  
Of the years we spent within you,  
Learning all your moods and ways.  
We remember you in autumn  
When our hopes were new and clean;  
Buried by the snow of winter;  
Dressed in spring's first verdant green.

We remember friends and teachers;  
Dark heads mingling with the fair;  
Voices ringing through the hallways;  
Crowded footsteps on the stair.  
Although the years may change you,  
May your spirit never die,  
But remain forever glowing,  
As our days at Weaver High.

### MABELLE LOWRY

"Mazzy" . . . short, sweet, and quiet . . . friendly personality . . . spends much of her free time horseback riding . . . future plans include college.

Biology Club; Girls' League.



### MARION LUNDY

A sweet gal who's full of fun . . . friendly to all . . . popular with teachers, and classmates . . . classical music fiend . . . found years at Weaver "most enjoyable."

Business Club; Girls' League.



### JEAN MACDONALD

"Scotty" . . . one of the neatest Weaverites . . . gifted with admirable poise . . . definitely not the worrying type . . . courteous with ready cheerful smile . . . sincerely liked by all . . . quiet but fun-loving . . . California, here she comes!

Girls' League.



### MARY MACDONALD

Quiet but easy to get along with . . . a newcomer who easily made herself at home . . . Weaver's future contribution to nursing profession . . . likes music and reading.

French Club; Girls' League; Lookout Business Board.



### PHILIP MACKLER

"Phil" . . . good-looking and athletic . . . knows the road to Springfield well! . . . has a girl in every port! . . . a future Mr. America . . . handy with a baseball bat.

Clubs: Biology, Boys'; Honor Society.



### THEOPHILE MADISON

"Phil" . . . quiet and unassuming . . . mandolin strummer in Weaver Night . . . lent his voice to Weaver's musical organizations . . . hopes to enter college . . . "Phil" left no bad impressions.

Clubs: Biology, Boys', Glee.



### WILLIAM MAHON, JR.

"Bill" . . . tall, crew-cut type . . . hands always in pockets . . . cruises around on four wheels but slow on his feet! . . . a horn heralds his approach . . . academic life not to his taste.

Boys' Club.



### EDWARD MALONEY

"Ed" or "Big Ed" . . . the serious jester . . . what a driver (but Nash!) . . . regarding Weaver? . . . "It's a good school if you like school!" . . . good luck!

Boys' Club; Track Team.



### JOAN MANDELL

Quiet and conscientious . . . noted for those dimples and that terrific disposition . . . Weaver's contribution to the field of accounting . . . plans to attend Hillier College.

Girls' League; Honor Society.



### MAXINE MANHEIM

"Mikki" . . . quiet and reserved . . . always ready to listen to your troubles . . . has many friends . . . ardent football fan . . . thought Weaver "lots of fun."

Clubs: Biology, Ingleside; Girls' League.





BETTE MARCUS

"Bet" . . . shimmering straight hair . . . soothing voice . . . cool, calm, and collected, except during French club meetings! . . . people are her hobby . . . a sure success in the retail merchandising field.

Clubs: Art - Crafts, French; Girls' League; Honor Society.



MARVIN MASS

"Marv" . . . sincere and willing friend . . . beats the drums in a dance band . . . conscientious worker . . . good conversationalist . . . to know him is to like him . . . plans to take up dentistry.

Band; Biology Club.



HENRY MARCUS

"Hank" . . . pleasingly plump . . . aristocratic tastes . . . always has his hand in mischief! . . . publicity agent for Chrysler cars . . . tropical fish fiend . . . a good sport . . . not an enemy in Weaver!

Clubs: Boys', Biology, F.P.A., French, Physics; Lookout Editorial Board; PORTAL Board.



JOHN MASTRANDREA

"Johnny" . . . blue eyes and light curly hair . . . the answer to many a girl's dreams . . . usually seen batting a ball or catching it . . . ambition is to become an electrical engineer.

Clubs: Boys', Letter; Track Team.



PHYLLIS MARKMAN

"Phyl" . . . a newcomer who found her niche . . . from small school to three-ring circus! . . . made many good friends in short time . . . noted for her "reporter's skill."

French Club; Girls' League; Lookout Editorial Board; Honor Society.



ROBERT MAYER

"Bob" . . . always on the go . . . a gay spirit . . . skilled with his hands . . . builds many things in his spare time . . . hopes to enter college.

Clubs: Art-Crafts, Boys'; Intramural Sports.



GERALD MARKS

"Jerry" . . . his hair is curly, and his teeth are pearly . . . a good musician, well known to Weaverites . . . a one-man band . . . plans to attend the Hartt School.

Band; Orchestra.



JOHN MAZZA

"Tall, dark, and mysterious" . . . doesn't say "mush" . . . interests lie in hunting and fishing . . . plans to become an electrical engineer.



TOBY MARRANZINI

"Toby" . . . a Weaver wit . . . quick 'n active . . . turned many a teacher's hair gray! . . . well liked by fellow students . . . fast with the feet and the cracks!

Leader Corps; Track Team.



DOROTHY MCBRIEN

"Dottie" . . . was there ever a quieter giggle? . . . friendly to all . . . enthusiastic supporter at all the games . . . equally at home on roller or ice skates.

Business Club; Girls' League.





EDWARD McCOOL

"Ed" . . . the kid with the funny stride . . . never more than one book under his arm! . . . made study halls gay . . . his interests center in "Birds"—in trees?

Boys' Club.



EDWARD MCSWEEGAN

"Ed" . . . long and lanky . . . has a perennial crew-cut . . . an outdoors man . . . loves hunting, fishing, and observing nature . . . enjoys a practical joke a great deal.

Boys' Club.



ROBERT MCKAY

"Mack" . . . blond and blue-eyed, girls! . . . one of Weaver's young Dan'l Boones! . . . hunts and tracks (animals, that is) and fishes . . . gymnastic enthusiast . . . plans to work on a fishing boat.

Leader Corps; Track Team.



HERBERT MEISTER

"Herb" . . . one part jokester to one part lover, to one part unpredictability! . . . an ardent "Duke" with his "Cherman" accent . . . a fine specimen of "Beaver" masculinity.

Clubs: Business, Boys', German; Leader Corps. Teams: Cross-Country, Track.



EDWARD MCKENNA

"Mac" . . . an ardent sports fan . . . plays a good game of baseball . . . very mechanically inclined . . . years at Weaver couldn't have been better . . . future electrical appliance salesman.

Boys' Club; Baseball Team.



HOWARD MILLER

Great out-of-doors man . . . spends much of his free time hiking, hunting, and camping . . . enjoys swimming . . . smooth dancer . . . plans to continue his schooling.

Leader Corps.



WALTER MCMAHON

"Buddy" . . . quiet . . . minds his own business . . . makes trouble for no one, not even teachers! . . . an angel's wings would fit him very well!

Clubs: Boys', French; Honor Society; Intramural Sports; Junior Usher; Lookout Club Editor.



JAY MILLER

"Lefty" . . . sharp dresser and sporty . . . drives the gang in his Mercury . . . "Don't dirty the seat-covers!" . . . friends with both girls and boys . . . a ski enthusiast . . . loves the lily-white snow!

French Club; Intramural Sports.



JANE McNAMARA

"Janie" . . . leader in her own little band . . . calm, carefree, and sweet . . . not heard but known . . . definite plans for the future include art, art, and more art.

Clubs: Art - Crafts, Biology; Girls' League.



EVELYN MILLS

"Keylargo" or "Lyn" . . . very busy in youth work outside school . . . noted for her school spirit . . . takes an active part in after school gym activities . . . future plans may include business school.

Girls' League.





GARY MILNER

"Beaver" . . . the man with the high flying ideas . . . likes stamp collecting and drawing . . . future paratrooper . . . perhaps he'll drop in on you someday—out of a clear blue sky!

Clubs: Biology, Boys'; Band.



DEANE MOORES

Popular all-around fellow . . . carefree manner and grin . . . Weaver's demon catcher—baseball, that is! . . . made many good friends among faculty and students . . . noted for that stray lock of hair!

Teams: Baseball, Football. Clubs: Boys' (Sec.), Letter (Vice-Pres.).



ELSIE MITCHELL

"El" . . . a very neat little bundle of charms . . . pleasant personality and likeable disposition . . . will always remember Weaver. . . . plans to attain a "Mrs." degree (that shouldn't be hard).

Girls' League.



ATWOOD MORGAN

"Morgan" . . . a little package of atomic energy . . . lots of fun to be with . . . a great lover of sports . . . plans to enter the field of mechanics.

Intramural Sports.



ELLEN MOLLEN

"El" or "Ellie" . . . glamour plus . . . Waterbury holds a special attraction for her! . . . winsome smile . . . all wrapped up in her favorite hobby, dress designing.

Art-Crafts Club (Vice.-Pres.); Girls' League; Lookout Editorial Board.



RICHARD MORISSETTE

"Richie" . . . serious-minded lad . . . interested in art and sports . . . hopes to continue his education—then on to a job! . . . of Weaver: "three long, hard and happy years"!



ROBERT MOLLOY

"Bob" . . . quiet, good-looking . . . possesses many friends . . . likes sports . . . loves to hunt and fish . . . future plans undecided . . . good luck to a swell guy!

Boys' Club.



JOHN MORKAN

"Red" . . . easy-going . . . flaming red hair . . . no temper to match. . . . Weaver's promising Morganthau . . . will "handle" millions in his long-term banking career.

Intramural Sports; Boys' Club.



GERALD MONTSTREAM

"Red" . . . red hair . . . an outdoors enthusiast . . . loves to hunt . . . avid sports fan . . . always in a good mood . . . one of the boys . . . appreciates a good joke . . . no better pal could be found anywhere.



JEAN MORRIS

"Jeanie" . . . explosive bombshell of giggles and laughter . . . friendly and loveable . . . likes sports . . . enjoyed listening to Mr. Aitken's voice during assemblies! . . . future dental hygienist.

Business Club (Sec.); Girls' League.





SANDRA MOSTOW

"Sandy" . . . quiet gal with a small voice . . . drives exclusive car . . . years at Weaver "were swell and enjoyed all of them" . . . college bound for the future.

Clubs: Camera, French; Girls' League.



JOSEPH NEBELSKY

"Joe" . . . a swell guy . . . has the nicest "crooked" smile . . . friendly and amiable . . . should have plenty of time for fishing and hunting when he's a forester.

German Club; Leader Corps; Intramural Sports.



ALFRED MOTOLA

"Al" . . . an all-around nice guy . . . good business head . . . has an active interest in art and sports . . . hopes to open up his own concern.

Boys' Club.



DANIEL NEIDITZ

"Dan" . . . diplomatic and ambitious . . . Weaver's "Jimmy Fiddler" . . . his motives are for the good of humanity . . . did a lot for Weaver.

Clubs: Boys', Physics, Spanish, F.P.A.; Honor Society; Lookout Student Editor; Projection Squad; Junior Usher; Golf Team.



FRED MUROWSKI

"Freddie" . . . very quiet . . . demon dancer . . . noted for study hall antics . . . future will see him a mason . . . loyal school supporter . . . thought Weaver was "all right."

Boys' Club.



MURIEL NEWMAN

"Marcia" . . . cheerful disposition . . . peaches-and-cream complexion . . . conscientious and ambitious student . . . handy with the paint brush . . . a sincere friend . . . easy to get along with . . . headed for art school.

Clubs: Art - Crafts, Biology, Business; Girls' League.



SANDRA MURRAY

"Sandy" . . . friendly and amiable . . . efficient . . . very intelligent . . . conviviality personified . . . artistically inclined . . . good looks and keen personality . . . one of Weaver's most popular gals.

Art-Crafts Club; Cheerleader; Leader Corps; Girls' League; Honor Society (Pres.); Nominating Committee; PORTAL Board.



JUNE NEWTON

Full of pep—only more so! . . . is she ever serious? . . . never made an enemy . . . envied for her seamstress talents . . . always seen dashing around, usually to the gym . . . some fun!

Girls' League; Leader Corps.



CHARLES NARDI

"Chuck" . . . strong, silent type . . . a good-natured fellow with a slow drawl . . . had a "great time" while here . . . no plans for the future as yet!

Boys' Club; Leader Corps.



MILLARD OPRESSO

"Frenchy" . . . Weaver's own basketball whiz . . . worked hard in the common interest of the school . . . well liked by everyone . . . very serious until you get to know him . . . plans college next.

Letter Club. Teams: Basketball, Track.





WILLIAM ORSINI

"Bill" . . . swell fellow . . . friendly and congenial . . . active in the musical organizations. . . . got a big kick out of Weaver . . . undecided about the future . . . good luck to an all-around guy.  
~ Inter-High Choir. Clubs: Glee, Boys'.



BERNICE PARTYKA

"Bunny" . . . one of Weaver's bravest gals? (she took Physics and Senior Math!) . . . jovial nature . . . gifted with the artist's touch . . . extremely versatile . . . popular with everyone . . . a future occupational therapist.

Clubs: Art-Crafts, Chess (Pres.), Physics, Astronomy.



JOAN PAGANI

"Joanie" . . . keen sense of humor . . . found Weaver very enjoyable . . . dancing and reading enthusiast . . . expects to make clerical work her occupation . . . good luck to a swell gal.

Girls' League.



RICHARD PATERNOSTRO, JR.

"Dickie" . . . the cause of many a female sigh! . . . good build and athletic aptitude . . . a flash on the gridiron . . . good material for a career in physical education.

Clubs: Boys', Letter; Football Team; Intramural Sports; Leader Corps.



DIANA PAPARIAN

"Di" . . . quiet, shy, and reserved little Miss . . . aspires to a career in art . . . terror on horses and on the skating rink.

Girls' League.



EDNA PEARSON

Edna . . . deliberate of motion . . . noted for softball ability . . . height of her ambition—to become a secretary . . . enjoyed Weaver "lots" . . . and lots of luck to you!



THOMAS PARASILITI, 'JR.

"Tom" . . . loads of fun . . . happy-go-lucky . . . good-natured . . . fond admirer of the fairer sex . . . loves to go dancing . . . pharmacy is his goal.

Band. Clubs: Biology, Boys'.



LEWIS PELLETTIER

"Dick" . . . husky example of a Weaver athlete . . . saw action in both football and baseball . . . a good sport at all times.

Boys' Club. Teams: Football, Baseball.



THERESSIA PARM

"The" . . . pleasing personality and calm disposition . . . likes dancing and sports . . . has an active mind in expressing opinions . . . plans to be a beautician.

Girls' League.



BEVERLY PERLER

"Bev" . . . blonde beauty . . . outstanding in sports . . . whiz at bowling . . . never seen without her ball and chain! . . . looking hopefully toward Bryant.

Cheerleader; Leader Corps; Girls' League.





### CONSTANCE PERRONE

"Connie" . . . always full of pep . . . bright eyes and sparkling smile . . . that famous Perrone giggle! . . . enthusiastic about dancing and record collection . . . plans future in commercial art.

Clubs: Art - Crafts, Record; Girls' League.



### ODESSA PITTMAN

"Cookie" . . . and just as sweet as one! . . . refined and lady-like . . . a priceless friend . . . ardent sports fan . . . possesses individual ideas . . . hopes to become a top-notch social worker.

Girls' League; Glee Club.



### IRENE PERRY

"Perry" . . . happy, friendly disposition . . . known for that hilarious giggle of hers . . . able to get along with everyone . . . active in sports . . . plans to enter the fashion designing business.

Girls' League.



### EDWARD PIZZELLA

"Pizzel" . . . a gift for gab and loads of brains . . . a good lawyer! . . . a swell fellow . . . devoted friend . . . loads of luck, n'est-ce pas?

French Club (Pres.); Honor Society; Lookout Editorial Board.



### MABEL PERRY

"The Talker" . . . seems to be generally informed on all subjects . . . pleasing personality . . . enjoyed years at Weaver . . . plans to be a seamstress.

Girls' League.



### JOSEPHINE PLATT

"Jody" . . . senior year spent at Weaver . . . likes "organization" of Weaver . . . music and crocheting fan . . . plans to work in office after graduation.

Girls' League.



### ANITA PINZARRONI

"Nita" . . . the shy, but friendly type . . . possesses an enviable wardrobe . . . excellent in sports, but Weaver gym didn't see enough of her! . . . champion baby-sitter . . . future dental hygienist.

Girls' League.



### DOROTHEA PLUMMER

"Dot" . . . quiet, friendly disposition . . . noted for her beautiful voice . . . likes to dance, read, and listen to records . . . enjoyed years at Weaver . . . expects a career in singing.

Glee Club; Inter-High Choir.



### MARVIN PITTMAN

"Pitt" . . . a quiet young gentleman . . . noted for his sharp clothes and his interest in Be-Bop . . . very studious and dignified in appearance . . . plans to enter Lincoln University.

Clubs: Glee, Astronomy.



### HELEN POWELL

"Slim" . . . jolly good company . . . we'll never forget her real hearty laugh! . . . enjoys reading, writing, and music especially . . . happy-go-lucky gal.

Glee Club; Inter-High Choir. Bands: Weaver, All-City. Orchestras: Weaver, All-State.





ESTELLE PRANT

"Es" . . . friends galore . . . very versatile . . . poet extraordinary . . . still cuts out paper dolls . . . future career includes "Gerry" with nursing as a sideline.

Girls' League; Junior Prom Committee; PORTAL Board. Clubs: C.H.L.S., Glee, Spanish.



SYLVIA RATNER

"Syl" . . . a dark-haired girl with big brown eyes . . . sweet personality . . . needlessly frantic about homework! . . . tennis and sewing fan . . . future includes college.

Clubs: C.H.L.S., French; Girls' League; Honor Society; Lookout Alumni Editor.



ELAINE PRITCHARD

One of Weaver's honor students . . . cheerful and easy-going . . . usually seen smiling and chewing gum! . . . liked by all . . . interested in sports . . . plans to become a secretary, lucky lawyer!

Clubs: Business, Ingleside; Girls' League; Lookout Typist; PORTAL Typist; Honor Society.



RAYMOND RATTE

A tall, well-built lad with an abundance of friends . . . never in a hurry . . . quiet, but mighty hard to beat in an argument . . . looks toward a career in television or electronics.



ROBERT QUIGLEY

"Quig" . . . never a dull moment with this lad . . . ineradicable prankster! . . . likes sports . . . goes for hunting in a big way . . . expects to make salesmanship his career.

Leader Corps.



LIBBY REDNICK

Soft-spoken . . . friendly, congenial, and conscientious . . . pleasing personality . . . collector of foreign coins . . . future plans include teaching . . . greatly enjoyed her years at Weaver.

Biology Club; Girls' League.



SEYMOUR RABINOWITZ

Conscientious and ambitious . . . often seen performing duties as lab assistant . . . likes collecting stamps . . . wears "be-bop" glasses! . . . a lot of fun if you know him . . . headed toward a medical career.

Clubs: Biology (Pres.), Boys', French; Golf Squad; Honor Society; Junior Usher; PORTAL Business Board.



THELMA RESETSKY

Possessor of quiet but sincere nature . . . always dressed in latest fashions . . . dark hair . . . shy smile . . . future career still in the making!

Girls' League.



JEAN RAMPELLI

"Butch" . . . much more feminine than her nickname suggests! . . . ask "Ed" for proof! . . . brown-eyed blonde . . . interested in photography . . . plans for future include nursing and possibly orange blossoms.



EDWARD RICCIO

"Rick" . . . handsome and neat . . . cheerful and quiet . . . always knows what he's doing . . . musically inclined . . . liked by all who come in contact with him . . . a good influence in Weaver.

Band; Boys' Club.





GERALD RIVKIN

"Rip" . . . mischievous . . . short-haired Samson! . . . "You buy in the slack shop, or else!" . . . girls, paper route, bicycle repairs, crossword puzzles, cards, and eating occupy all his time!

Boys' Club; Track Team.



AVIS ROME

"A" . . . "charming little Miss" . . . smiles prettily for all the people! . . . busy bee in school and out . . . enjoys good music . . . will tame any problem child!

Clubs: Biology, C.H.L.S.; Girls' League. Committees: Goodwill, Junior Prom.



MICHAEL RIZZO

"Mike" . . . great Weaver Casanova . . . a head full of gags, gals, and ambition . . . an ardent sports fan—baseball and bowling mainly . . . plans to join the Air Force.



ALAN ROSENBAUM

"Al" . . . authority on the art of procrastination . . . hates to admit natural-born genius! . . . favorite pastimes—ad-libbing on what teachers say, eating pizza at Corky's, and playing tennis.

Clubs: Biology, Letter, Physics (Vice-Pres.), Spanish; Harvard Book Prize; Honor Society; Junior Usher; Tennis Team; Nominating Committee; PORTAL Board.



PHILIP ROBBIN

"Phil" . . . "Red," to many . . . congenial and easy-going . . . a loyal pal . . . possesses a rare quality of genuine sincerity . . . an avid shutterbug . . . future pharmacist.

Clubs: Astronomy, Boys', Camera; Cross-Country Team (Mgr.).



ANNETTE ROSKER

Class clown with corny cracks her specialty . . . enjoys a joke, even on herself! . . . everybody's "Mom" . . . great sports star . . . keeps her figure trim!

Astronomy Club (Vice-Pres. & Treas.); Girls' League; Lookout Advertising Board.



CHARLOTTE RODIN

A real "Pixie" . . . tiny and cute . . . famous for long hair and eyelashes . . . especially interested in dancing . . . future plans include work!!!

Art-Crafts Club; Girls' League.



ANTHONY ROSSI

"Tony" . . . always sporting a friendly smile . . . had plenty of fun at Weaver . . . sports follower . . . has the ambition of joining the Marines! . . . Loads of Luck!

Boys' Club.



JOSEPH ROGERS, JR.

"Doc" . . . good-natured . . . always occupied . . . musical talents include piano and trombone . . . plans to be a concert pianist . . . a recruiter for the National Guard.

Band.



PAUL RUDY

Very determined; so make sure not to get in his way! . . . teachers love to bother him! . . . enjoys sports . . . intends to make his career professional baseball.





WILLIAM RUMLEY

"Bill" . . . lean and lanky . . . friendly and liked by all . . . likes hunting almost as much as whipping the old pill down over homeplate!

Clubs: Boys, Letter; Baseball Team.



JEROME SALAD

"Jerry" . . . a big blond riot! . . . full of fun . . . a smile that matches his jokes . . . hopes to be the only druggist who can speak Spanish!

Boys' Club; Track Team.



PHILOMENA RUSSO

"Phil" or "Mena" . . . black hair and dark-eyed beauty . . . always seen with a smile . . . has made "gobs" of friends . . . enjoys collecting and listening to popular records . . . loved Weaver.

Business Club; Girls' League; Lookout Typist.



JOSEPHINE SALUSTRO

"Jo" . . . sweet little gal with a beautiful voice . . . plays the piano . . . future plans include work for a while but soon settling down with "the most wonderful guy in the world."

Clubs: Business, Glee; Inter-High Choir; Girls' League.



RONALD SABOL

"Ronnie" . . . sharp dresser . . . usually seen and heard . . . rowdyish tendencies! . . . loves to have fun . . . good line and a great lover! . . . likes sciences and math.



CONSTANTINO SAMIOTIS

"Connie" . . . swell guy . . . lots of fun . . . a great weakness for sports and dances . . . found years at Weaver very valuable . . . future plans include college.

Boys' Club.



MORRIS SAILOR

"Moe" . . . big burly superman of Weaver . . . noted for his huge muscles and outstanding athletic ability . . . friendly disposition . . . much admired.

Leader Corps; Track Team.



PETER SANTORO

"Pete" or "Pedro" . . . a barrel of fun . . . rugged individualist . . . loves to fish and hunt . . . the personality that wins . . . an authority on gardening . . . the type of friend we all wish for.

Boys' Club.



JANET SAKOFSKY

Adorable with velvet-brown eyes and winning smile . . . fond of music and swimming . . . attracts fellows and girls alike . . . lots of luck in college.

Clubs: C.H.L.S., F.P.A., French, Spanish; Girls' League; Lookout Editorial Board.



ANTOINETTE SAPONARA

"Toni" . . . quiet until you get to know her . . . usually seen in the art room . . . plans to make a career of art . . . enjoyed Weaver except for marking period tests!

Clubs: Art-Crafts, Chess; Girls' League.



### LIBBY SAVITT

"Lib" . . . amiable . . . congeniality personified . . . dancing and sport enthusiast . . . enjoyed Weaver whole-heartedly . . . plans to attend college and do social work . . . good luck to a deserving and friendly gal.

Clubs: C.H.L.S., French; Leader Corp; Girls' League; Junior Prom Committee; Honor Society; PORTAL Board.

### ADRIENNE SCHARAGA

"A" . . . tall, slender, and attractive . . . oh, those long limbs! . . . smart dresser . . . amiable personality . . . future plans include being a medical assistant . . . lucky doctor!

Committees: Junior Prom, Sophomore Hop; F.P.A; Leader Corps; Girls' League; Projection Squad.

### REUBEN SCHENKER

"Rube" . . . quiet, conscientious student . . . a jack-of-all-trades . . . a good scout . . . loves the great outdoor life . . . good-natured . . . well liked at Weaver.

Boys' Club; Honor Society.

### CARL SCHIESSL

"Schmed" . . . all-around sports star . . . kicked many an extra point in '49 . . . shy killer with females! . . . aspires to career in major league baseball.

Clubs: Boys', Letter; Teams: Baseball, Football; Leader Corps.

### ARNOLD SCHIPPER

"Arnie" . . . short and fleet . . . a whiz on the basketball court . . . always on the ball! . . . usually supplied with an abundance of sly quips.

Boys' Club; Intramural Sports.

### MARGARET SCHLICKER

"Peggy" . . . pleasing personality . . . congenial . . . fun to be with . . . loves to go fishing . . . wishes to be an interpreter in Spanish in some bank or an American embassy.

Clubs: Glee, Spanish; Girls' League.

### INGE SCHNABEL

"Ing" . . . quiet, shy, and reserved . . . serious thinker and hard worker . . . one of Weaver's faithful fans at all games . . . plans for future in business field.

German Club; Girls' League.

### CHARLOTTE SCHOR

"Shosh" . . . Weaver's ballerina with a dancer's walk . . . sweet personality . . . the perpetual optimist . . . future holds name in lights in famous ballet company . . . a wonderful girl to know.

Girls' League; Glee Club.

### MARVIN SCHROEDER

"Marv" . . . blond, wavy hair . . . broad smile . . . sunny disposition . . . a good sport . . . liked by everyone . . . would abolish all homework! . . . never a dull moment with "Marv" as a pal.

Boys' Club; Intramural Sports.

### ALBERT SCHUFFMAN

"Shorty" . . . a big man around Weaver! . . . his friendliness and ability to make people laugh more than match his size . . . likes fishing (never caught anything but a cold!).

Clubs: Boys', Camera.





PHILIP SCHULMAN

"Phil" . . . the well-dressed man about Weaver . . . takes special pride in looking neat and well trimmed at all times . . . photography is his hobby . . . lots of fun to know . . . college bound.

Boys' Club.



ROSE SEYMOUR

"Yum" . . . friendly and congenial . . . fun to be with . . . has made many friends at Weaver . . . strictly a "Tigerette" fan . . . had "lots of fun" at Weaver.

Girls' Sports; Girls' League.



ALBERT SCHWARTZ

"Al" . . . quite the guy . . . Weaver's Casanova . . . oh! those broad shoulders . . . fun-loving . . . sharp dresser . . . hopes to be Dr. Schwartz, chiropodist.

Boys' Club; Track Team.



JOEL SHAFMAN

"Joe" . . . quiet, serious-minded and ambitious . . . enjoys participating in and watching sports events . . . always willing to help a friend in need . . . future plans—a college career sponsored by the U. S. Armed Forces.

Boys' Club.



FAYNA SCHWARTZ

An agreeable gal . . . duck when she drives a golf ball or a car! . . . loves to talk—and does! . . . plans to attend college but "sorry high school days are over!"

Clubs: Biology, C.H.L.S.; Girls' League.



BERNARD SHAPIRO

"Buddy" . . . the Greatest Show on Earth! . . . one of Weaver's best entertainers in the laugh department . . . a fine amateur athlete and musician . . . enjoys study hall, writing poetry, and "bargains"!

Clubs: Spanish, Boys'; Band; Intramural Sports.



IRENE SENKEWICH

"I" . . . one of Weaver's more popular citizens . . . extremely sharp dresser . . . has many friends among both sexes . . . always smiling . . . noted for smooth dancing ability . . . future stenographer.

Business Club; Cheerleader; Girls' League; Leader Corps.



ROBERT SHARAF

"Bob" . . . dry sense of humor . . . matter-of-fact young man . . . where does he find time for all his activities? . . . liked and looked up to . . . found algebra his "Waterloo."

Teams: Cross-Country, Track. Clubs: Boys', Letter, Spanish; Lookout Editorial Board; Junior T. B. Board.



SALVATORE SERRANTINO

"Sammy" . . . small but never unnoticed! . . . usually in the middle of all the excitement . . . popular with both sexes . . . special interest is "females" . . . plans to attend college . . . thought Weaver "great"!

Boys' Club.



LUCILLE SHAW

"Cile" . . . a fabulous collection of striking charms . . . dreamy eyes and friendly personality to match . . . enjoyed years at Weaver . . . plans a career in stenography.

Glee Club; Girls' League.





### LUCRETIA SHAW

"Lu" . . . good all-round personality . . . has deep and sincere appreciation for the classics . . . will always remember the wonderful years spent at Weaver . . . plans for a career as a concert pianist.

Glee Club; Girls' League.



### DOLORES SICILIA

"Dolor" . . . good-natured and nice dresser . . . comb is part of standard equipment! . . . usually seen urging team to victory at games . . . interested in members of the opposite sex.

Girls' League; Ingleside Club.



### JOHN SHEA

"Chick" . . . long and lanky build . . . nonchalant attitude . . . calm and unexcitable . . . usually seen with a large crowd of fellows . . . in regard to Weaver: "have had a good time"!

Boys' Club; Leader Corps.



### MORTON SIDRANE

"Mort" . . . dark, curly hair . . . vocal talents that make feminine hearts flutter . . . noted for his smile . . . "Say, did you hear the one about—?" . . . active in Weaver club life . . . ambition at its peak . . . Weaver will miss him!

Clubs: Boys', Glee, Spanish (Pres.); Band; Inter-High Choir; Football Squad.



### DONALD SHERRY

"Pacifist" . . . one of Weaver's quietest individuals yet good-natured and earnest . . . a scientific mind . . . potential Pasteur . . . enjoys light literature, such as "The Theory of Thermodynamics"!

Biology Club.



### SAMUEL SIEGAL

"Sammy" . . . Weaver's future contribution to the plumbing business . . . noted for those dimples . . . and oh, those "funny" jokes! . . . definitely a sports fan . . . plans to attend Hillyer College.

Clubs: Boys', Letter (Treas.); Leader Corps (Treas.). Teams: Football, Track.



### BEATRICE SHIFLET

"Bea" . . . usually seen giggling or talking . . . fun to be with . . . especially interested in church work . . . found Weaver an excellent school!

Girls' League.



### JERRY SILVERBERG

"Jerry" . . . hard-working, industrious student . . . avid sports fan . . . enjoyed every minute of Weaver . . . very amicable . . . biggest weakness was agreeing with Miss Hood! . . . lots of luck.

Clubs: Biology, Boys'; Track Manager.



### ROBERT SHOOK

"Bob" . . . able and active participant in school and other (les femmes?) activities . . . always has a good word . . . well liked by all . . . a budding politician.

Boys' Club; Intramural Sports; Nominating Committee.



### JEAN SILVERMAN

"Jeanie" . . . noted for those dimples . . . always seen with a smile . . . plans to go into office work . . . enjoyed her "three wonderful years" at Weaver.

Girls' Club; Ingleside Club.



DAYS  
MONTHS  
YEARS .

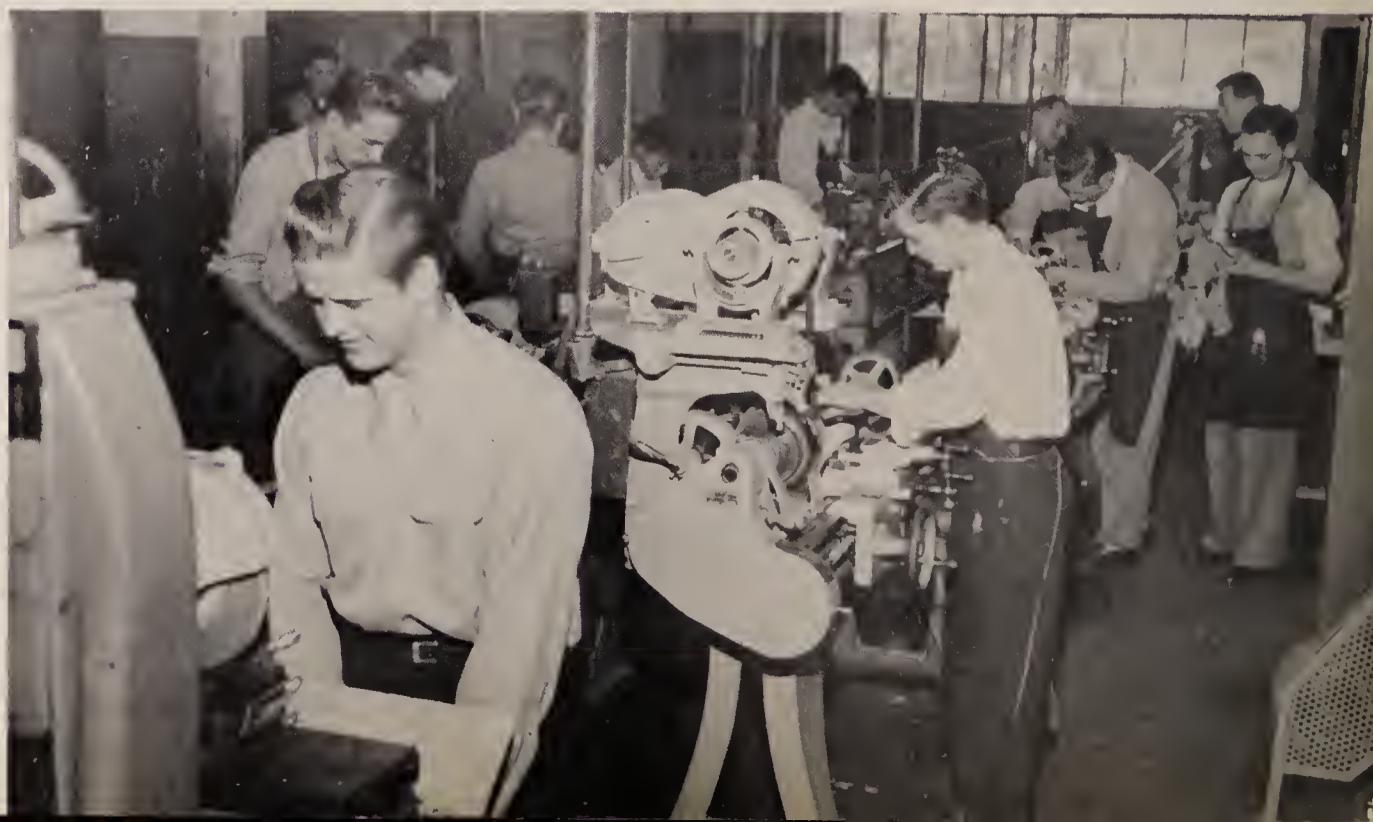


• RESEARCH



• CONCENTRATION

• APPLICATION



Onward to Perfection  
and Success.



FRANK SIMPSON

"Simp" . . . friendly and amusing personality . . . popular with Weaverites . . . studious and ambitious . . . natural ability in mathematics . . . plans to pursue a career in engineering.

Boys' Club.



ALAN SMITH

"Al" . . . blond, wavy hair . . . always able to make a witty remark . . . ambitious . . . excellent business head . . . generous with the corned-beef! . . . good photographer . . . plenty of friends.

Clubs: Boys', Camera, Letter, Physics, Spanish; Honor Society; Lookout Business Board; Projection Squad; Nominating Committee.



SANDRA SINGER

"Sandy" . . . quiet and conscientious . . . cheerful disposition has won her many friends . . . loyal Weaver fan . . . enjoys playing ping pong and piano.

Business Club; Girls' League; Honor Society.



BENNY SMITH

Quiet, pleasing disposition . . . smooth talker . . . usually seen with a paint brush in hand . . . known for his artistic ability . . . plans to pursue a career in art.



SYLVIA SLESS

"Syl" . . . beautiful voice and magnetic personality . . . always smiling . . . accomplished pianist . . . future goal is opera! . . . chose musical friends . . . thought years at Weaver "the Best Years of My Life."

Choirs: Inter-High, All-State; Clubs: French, Glee.



DOROTHY SMITH

"Dot" . . . a whirlwind of activity . . . lots of fun . . . always ready with a bit of humor . . . also possesses lots of worthwhile philosophy . . . plans to be a dress designer.

Inter-High Choir; Glee Club; Girls' League.



GERALD SLOBIN

"Red" . . . very colorful individual . . . wonderful sense of humor . . . athlete of the highest caliber . . . very active in sports . . . best friend a guy could ask for.

Clubs: Boys', Letter; Teams: Basketball, Football, Tennis (Capt.).



HERBERT SMITH

"Smithy" . . . many friends . . . an all-around amiable fellow . . . very enjoyable person to be with . . . likes to swim . . . collects autobiographies . . . lots of luck to a nice guy.

Leader Corps.



SELMA SLOSSBERG

Clinging personality . . . the silent type, a teacher's delight . . . her favorite radio program — Twenty Questions! . . . large vocal talents . . . willing to help a friend . . . U. Conn bound.

Clubs: Glee, French; Girls' League; Lookout Circulation Board.



MARJORIE SODAFSKY

"Marge" . . . platinum blonde hair with a slight curl . . . generous smile . . . typical lady driver! . . . combination of brains and looks . . . good luck at college.

Clubs: Biology, Camera, Glee, French; Girls' League; Honor Society.





MARILYN SORGIO

"Mar" . . . attractive gal with a magnetic personality . . . everyone's friend . . . loves to dance . . . has the ambition to be an Air Hostess . . . that's *plane* to see! . . . good luck to the nicest gal.

Cheerleader. Committees: Goodwill, Junior Prom; Girls' League.



HAROLD STEINBERG

"Tot" . . . a real muscle man . . . a mischievous twinkle in his eyes when he smiles . . . enjoys the fairer sex . . . a real pal . . . a great sense of humor.

Clubs: Boys', Letter. Teams: Football, Track.



JOSEPH SOTTILE

"Joe" . . . something for the girls! . . . often seen behind a counter . . . sports enthusiast . . . plans to sail the seven seas after graduation . . . in regard to years at Weaver, "No comment"!

Baseball Team; Boys' Club.



HARVEY STEPNAKOFF

"Step" . . . strictly a lady's man . . . more fun than ten clowns! . . . always ready with a good joke . . . brightens every place he enters . . . has no plans for the future!!!



BENJAMIN SPECTOR

"Ben" . . . fleet-footed athlete . . . greased lightning on the cinder paths . . . quiet but friendly to everyone . . . an all-around good sport.

Clubs: Boys', Letter; Teams: Football, Track.



DAVID STERNLIGHT

"Dave" . . . lots of fun . . . connoisseur of corny jokes! . . . enjoys math with Mr. Carrier . . . jocundity and conviviality personified . . . usually seen in the band room.

Band; Orchestra. Clubs: Biology, German.



RUDOLPH SPUNGIN

"Rudy" . . . quiet, reserved manner . . . handy with a pen knife . . . his specialty—model planes and boats . . . musically inclined . . . hopes to become a pilot . . . "happy landings, 'Rudy'!"

Clubs: Astronomy, Glee.



MARY STEWART

"Janie" . . . shy and retiring manner . . . hard to know . . . a champ with the pencil and brush . . . liked all teachers, "especially Mr. Owen" . . . capable and intelligent.

Girls' League; Junior T. B. Board.



SELMA STEIN

"Sel" . . . a quiet young lady . . . usually seen reading a book! . . . enjoys dramatics . . . hopes to travel . . . future plans include teaching.

Girls' League; Spanish Club.



DELBERT STONE

"Del" . . . swell fellow . . . very friendly . . . interested in sports . . . red hair galore . . . expects to join the Navy and "sea" the world after leaving Weaver.

Clubs: Boys', Letter; Basketball Team.





LEONARD STONE

"Rocky" . . . long-legged lad . . . curly black hair . . . noted for his big smile . . . loads of enthusiasm . . . earned his letter in high-jumping.

Clubs: Boys', Letter; Track Team.



ORA THOMAS

"Slim" . . . tall, straight build . . . conscientious worker . . . loves to read interesting books . . . smooth dancer . . . fond of traveling . . . an extremely good nature won her a host of friends.

Girls' League.



EUGENE SULLIVAN

"Mousie" . . . short, thin build . . . freckles . . . extremely mischievous . . . developed a bad case of demerit-itis during his sojourn at Weaver! . . . avid sports fan . . . his hobby—collecting sport scrapbooks . . . everybody's friend.

Intramural Sports.



AUDREY THOMPSON

"Aud" . . . neat and cute . . . accumulated many firm friends during three years! . . . very popular with everyone . . . athletically inclined . . . talks with her hands! . . . usually hidden by her megaphone!

Cheerleader (Capt.); Girls' League; Green Team (Capt.); Girls' Sports.



STEPHEN TAMISO

"Steve" . . . ardent sports fan . . . enjoys watching football games . . . fills his spare time by drawing and collecting records . . . will be an asset to the business world.

Boys' Club.



MARJORIE TOSCANO

"Margie" . . . a cute little gal who loves to laugh . . . equally at home with a piano or typewriter! . . . most things are "over her head" . . . methodical and a hard worker.

Clubs: Business, Spanish; Girls' League; Leader Corps; Lookout Secretary; Honor Society; PORTAL Typist.



BARBARA TANNER

"Bobbie" or perhaps "Bar" . . . conscientious, dependable, pleasing personality . . . has many friends . . . loves to knit . . . future plans include stenography and marriage to "Russ"!

Business Club (Pres.); Leader Corps; Girls' League; Honor Society.



WALTER TOWSTIK

Weaver's great "fast ball" thrower . . . noted for his pitching . . . known and liked by all for his pleasing personality . . . plans a career in the Armed Forces.

Clubs: Boys', Letter; Baseball Team.



JOAN TAYLOR

"Joanie" . . . personality plus! . . . everyone's friend . . . always smiling and cheerful . . . popular with both sexes . . . enjoys knitting and collecting knick-knacks . . . hopes for early marriage!

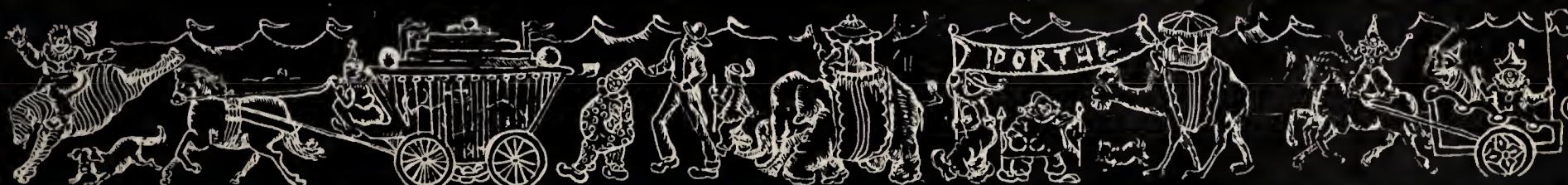
Business Club (Vice - Pres. - Treas.); Girls' League.



GRAYCE TOZZOLI

Talkative and blasé, that's our "Gaye"! . . . artistic . . . strong voice and loves to sing . . . member of many musical organizations . . . a future medical secretary.

Clubs: Art - Crafts, Biology; Girls' League.





SALLY TRESKE

"Sal" . . . a light, petite lass . . . nice figure . . . cute gal . . . enjoys good books and reads a great deal . . . truly a woman driver!

Camera Club; Girls' League.



DAVID TUZZA

Quiet, ambitious student . . . easy to get along with . . . good sport . . . ardent baseball fan . . . takes special pride in his foreign coin collection . . . a sincere and valued friend.

Clubs: Boys', Spanish.



NELLIE UCCELLO

"Nell" . . . one of the people who keep the school going! . . . respected and liked by faculty and students . . . unerring "nose for news" . . . mostly serious but loves to giggle . . . one swell kid!

Clubs: Spanish, C.H.L.S.; Girls' League; Honor Society; Lookout Editor-in-Chief.



JANE VALLOTTI

Grand pal . . . dependable . . . noted for her friendly smile . . . has a way with children! . . . future plans, perhaps, teaching!

French Club; Girls' League; Lookout Editorial Board; Nominating Committee.



DOMINICK VASQUES

"Dick" . . . happy-go-lucky and amicable . . . sports enthusiast . . . had loads of fun at Weaver . . . found the fairer sex interesting! . . . truly a good friend.

Clubs: Boys', Spanish; Junior Usher; Leader Corps.



MARJORIE VOGEL

"Midge" . . . happy-go-lucky kid with a terrific personality . . . ever hear her version of Red Riding Hood? . . . interested in children, especially boys over eighteen! . . . future plans include trip to Sun Valley.

Clubs: Astronomy, Biology (Sec.), Camera, Glee; Girls' League; Lookout Circulation Board; Lookout Head Typist.



JACQUELYN WALDBUSSER

"Jackie" . . . tall, dark, and lovely!!! . . . smooth dancer . . . loves to swim . . . ardent football fan—for Weaver of course! . . . future plans include office work.

Clubs: Girls' League; Ingleside Club.



RONALD WALSH

"Ronny" . . . happy-go-lucky . . . they don't come any more mischievous! . . . serious at times . . . art work is his specialty . . . well liked by all . . . hopes to become a commercial artist.

Clubs: Art-Crafts, Boys'.



FORREST WALTON

Lively girl with a wonderful personality . . . has made many friends at Weaver . . . strictly a "Bop" fan . . . usually seen talking . . . plans to attend a secretarial school.

Clubs: Girls' League; Ingleside Club; Lookout Business Board.



MORTON WEBBER

Big, husky build . . . jet-black hair . . . athletically-inclined . . . popular with the opposite sex! . . . always in a good humor . . . extremely ambitious . . . he'll be a success in whatever he does.

Clubs: Boys' Club; Leader Corps. Teams: Football, Track.







JOHN WOYKOVSKY

One of our more silent classmates! . . . sly sense of humor . . . partial to the musical field, especially to the saxophone . . . lots of luck.



FREDERICK ZACHS

"Stretch" . . . little man with a big wit . . . proficient in all sports . . . energetic in everything he does . . . friendly disposition . . . well liked by all . . . college bound.

Clubs: Boys', Spanish; Intramural Sports.



HOWARD YALEN

"Howie" . . . a riotous rogue . . . rabid sports fans . . . "Demerits come easy after the first few"! (words of wisdom) . . . loads of fun to be with.

Spanish Club; Intramural Sports.



DORA ZITO

"Dorie" . . . quiet to those unacquainted with her but a lot of fun once you know her . . . likes to read good books and collect records . . . extremely good-natured . . . jovial personality . . . the best of luck!

Ingleside Club; Girls' League.



PEARL YELLEN

"Pud," to close friends . . . executive ability . . . spends many leisure hours with a good book! . . . enjoys dramatics . . . plans to major in dietetics field.

F.P.A.; Girls' League; Lookout Business Manager; Honor Society (Sec.).



RAYMOND ZONGETTI

"Z" . . . a lad on the short side . . . but not short on wit! . . . a great comedian and a swell fellow . . . a drummerboy, no less!

Leader Corps.



MONA YOUNG

"Moe" . . . nothing boyish about her . . . twinkling blue eyes . . . fun to be with . . . "extreme" bop fan . . . loved Weaver's dances and football games . . . swell partner for anyone.

Clubs: Art - Crafts, Ingleside; Girls' League.

#### GRADUATES

SOLOMON BECK  
SEYMOUR HELLER

#### VETERANS

HERMAN APTER  
EDWARD BLOOM





SPRING



## BASEBALL TEAM

Front row, left to right: B. DelMastro, Moores, Zimmerman, DiMino, U. DelMastro, Cronin, Schiessl. Second row: Galin, Towstik, Ferraina, Rumley, Gordon, R. Cooney. Back row: Mr. Aitken, Mr. McGill.



## TENNIS TEAM

Kneeling, left to right: Smith, Goldstein, Epstein, Baidack, Greenberg, Hoffman. Standing: Mr. Aitken, A. Hurwitz, S. Hurwitz, Rabinowitz, Slobin, Rosenbaum, Mr. Steeves.

SAFE!



# SPORTS

1949



## GOLF TEAM

Left to right: Mr. Aitken, Burgess, Garde, Burke, Carey, Kane, Mr. Andrews.



Coming In!

## TRACK





Front row, left to right: Siegal, Magro, Whitehead, Gleason, Ferraina, Gandza, Moores, Paternostro, Pelletier, Slobin, Chappell. Second row: Connolly, Coleman, Spector, Golden, Heneghan, Grisevich, Steinberg, LeFebvre, Borden, Schiessl. Back row: Boccaccio, Mr. Horvath, Mr. Aitken, Webber, DiMeo Levinson, Mr. McGill, Berman.

## FOOTBALL

Weaver's football team achieved a good record this fall by winning five and losing three. Starting off with a bang by taking the first four games, the team was steady but not spectacular. Numerous injuries, especially in the backfield, prevented it from being at full strength most of the time. Coach Horvath used the available men to advantage, with Slobin, Paternostro, Chappell, Pelletier, and Borden carrying the honors

in the backfield. John McGill's line, which was, as usual, well-trained, was sparked by the outstanding work of Whitehead and Ferraina. Although most of the starting lineup were seniors, a few outstanding veterans will serve as a nucleus for next year's team.

Games with Windham and New Britain High, both of which usually field strong teams, have been scheduled for the 1950 season.

Strategy



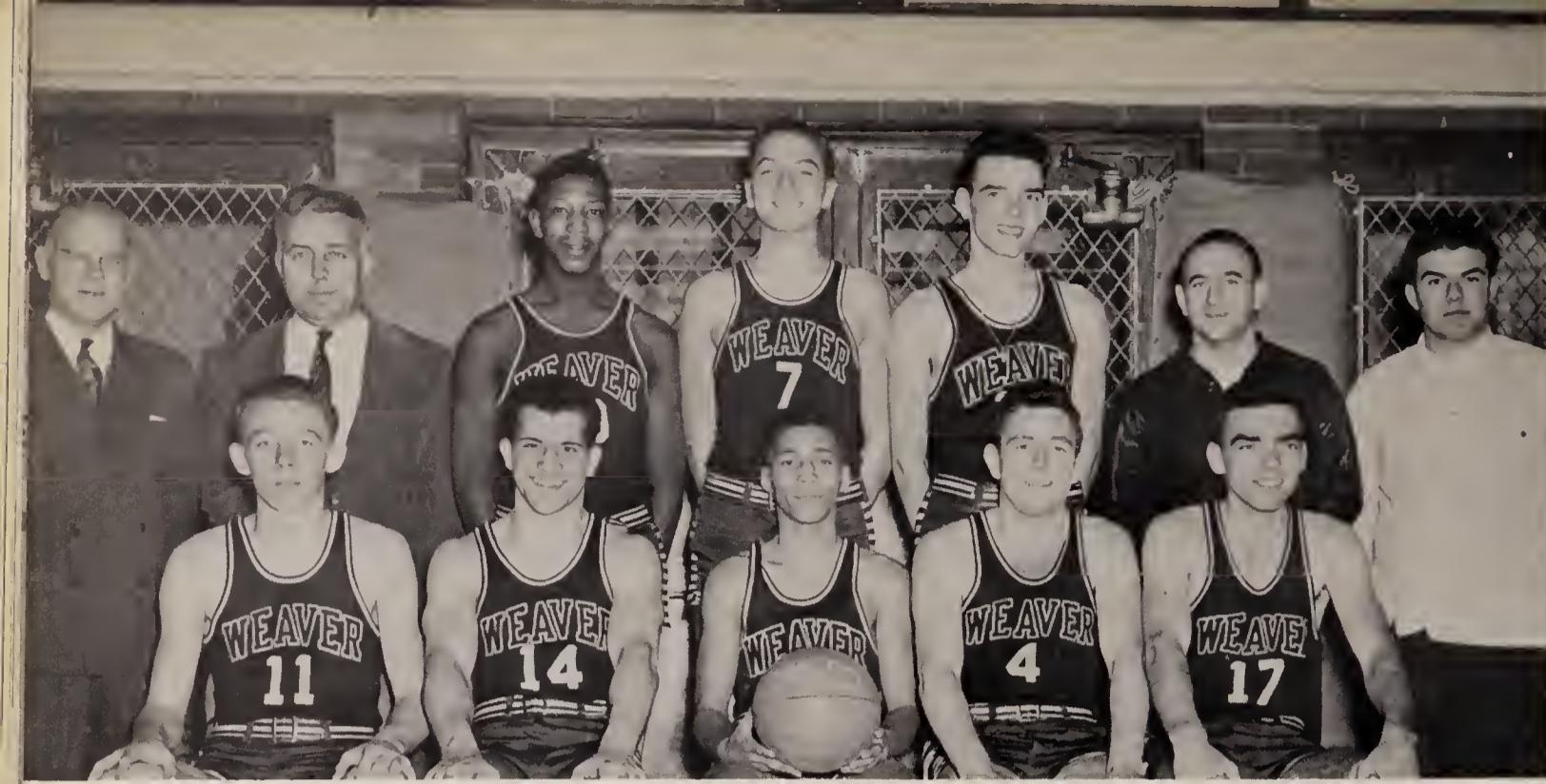
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## SEASON SUMMARY

Bulkeley (New London) .....	6	Weaver .....	7
East Hartford .....	7	Weaver .....	22
Hall .....	6	Weaver .....	21
Leavenworth .....	0	Weaver .....	6
Torrington .....	14	Weaver .....	7
Bulkeley .....	39	Weaver .....	0
Middletown .....	7	Weaver .....	13
Hartford .....	31	Weaver .....	7





Seated, left to right: Stone, Ferraina, Opesso, Slobin, J. Kelliher. Standing: Mr. Aitken, Mr. McGill, Watson, Yellin, F. Kelliher, Mr. Horvath, Magro.

## B A S K E T B A L L

Some think that the team had a good season—others do not; it all depends on whether or not you believe the team was over-rated originally! Two bright spots on the schedule were wins over New Britain and Windham at the beginning of the season. Both these teams ended with fine records. The early wins caused many to rate Weaver as one of the best in the state,

especially after observing the height which the team boasted. As the season progressed, the team blew hot and cold, playing excellently at times, and very sloppily at others. John Kelliher and Mark Yellin were high scorers, with "Turk" Cuyle and Millard Opesso helping a great deal. Watson, Stone, and Frank Kelliher rounded out the regular team.

Off the boards!



Here it comes!





Weaver was defeated (60-50) in the first round of the state tournament by a classy Ansonia team, even though showing some of the fight which was lacking a great part of the season.





First row, left to right: King, Glassman, Joel Weinberg, Beckman, Biederman. Second row: Bunkley, Gallina, Magner, Gaylor, Klau. Third row: Robbin, Jack Weinberg, Siegal, Fien, Mr. Wilson.

## CROSS-COUNTRY

Lean times have come to Weaver's cross-country team, which duplicated last year's record by winning one and losing five matches. From Mr. Wilson's large

squad, the only really consistent runners were Captain Weinberg, Beckman, and King. Well, better luck next year!

### SEASON SUMMARY

East Hartford .....	24	Weaver .....	31	Bristol .....	19	Weaver .....	36
Middletown .....	35			Weaver .....	20		

### TRIANGULAR MEET

Bulkeley .....	29	Hartford .....	31	Weaver .....	60
Manchester .....	16			Weaver .....	39
New Britain .....	26			Weaver .....	29

They're off!

(Low score wins the meet.)

Here they come!





Go! Go! Go!



Swish it!

Steady, boys!

Lucky this time!







Mr. Mac

## INTRAMURAL SPORTS

This year's program was conducted by Mr. Wilson, who continued where Mr. MacMullen left off last year. Participating in basketball were a large number of boys who could not spend the time or who were not talented enough to make the varsity teams, or who preferred the informal games of the intramural leagues. Each team played only once or twice during the week, with Jerry Salad, Zonghetti, W. Moriarty, and Jerry Hurwitz acting as referees. Basketball was started during the football season, and touch football was omitted this year. It was great fun while it lasted!



## GIRLS'



Archery started the ball rolling, or rather, the arrows flying, this year in girls' sports. Many archery aspirants signed up, but Jack Frost had other ideas. At the first sign of warmer weather, though, Adrienne Scharaga again met her "merry maids" in our Sherwood Forest. After scoring all bull's eyes, the archers heard the call of bowling and came indoors for the winter months. The "champs" met with June Newton every Tuesday at the Bowladrome, even setting up their own pins (when they knocked any down!)

Becoming jealous of the boys' varsity team success, the girls, headed by Joan Reilly, turned out for basketball in overwhelming droves. Four teams fought "ruthlessly" against each other for many weeks, the victors taking part in the basketball clinic held at Weaver, January 26th, (a great success, by the way).

Not yet worn out, our girls went after volleyball and badminton with a vengeance, Mary Cramer batting the volleyball and Cynthia Murray taking charge of the birds (the ones you hit with rackets), while the fellows waited patiently (?) outside until the teams were finished (and after those sessions, they really were!)

Cooling off with a milder sport, the indefatigable sportsters took up ping-pong after



## SPORTS

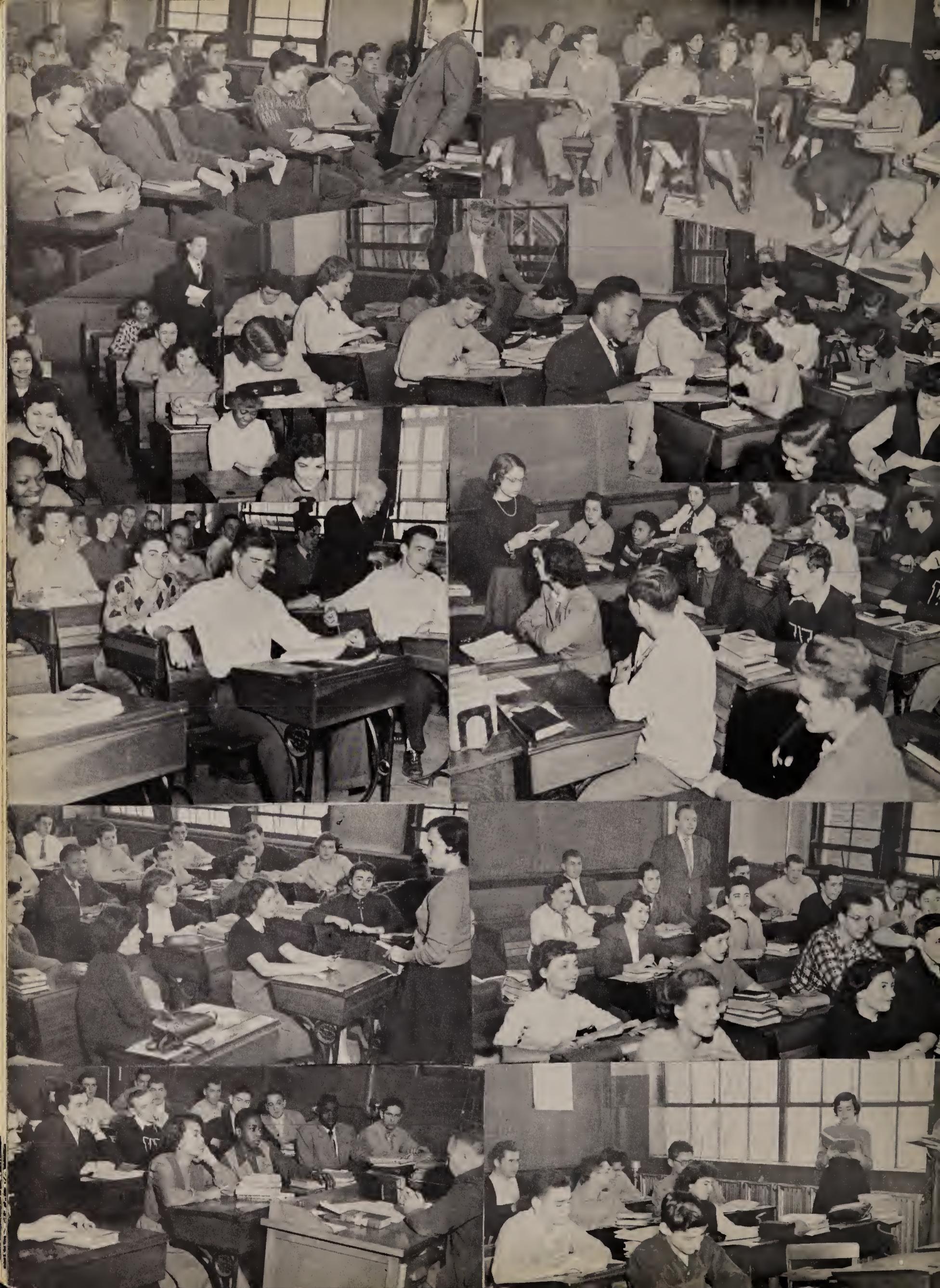
vacation, with Sandra Murray setting up the tables this time. As the sport took place during activity period, the turnout was a capacity crowd.

The last indoor shindig was a back-breaker—square dancing, the newest addition to the athletic program. The girls worked out many square dances, as well as folk dances (and we really mean worked out!) Pat French took the leadership, and she could do it if anyone could!

Toward the end of May, Jackie French met the girls who by that time were staggering out to the baseball diamond. Here, nevertheless, they played many a lively game, full of yells, friendly rivalry, and hitting everything but the ball.

Sport Night was the climax of our good times (?) in school sports. Throughout that tense evening competition was keen and excitement endless. In 1949 the Blue Team came out on top with Isabelle Cecere and Marilyn Hainsey leading the team to a thrilling victory. Rita Howell and Audrey Thompson marshalled the forces of the opposing Greens in an equally thrilling display. This year Joan Reilly was Marilyn's right hand, while Jackie French aided Audrey. The girls of both teams regained lost vigor, and the contest was the usual exciting fight. Thus with groans and liniment the sport year ended.

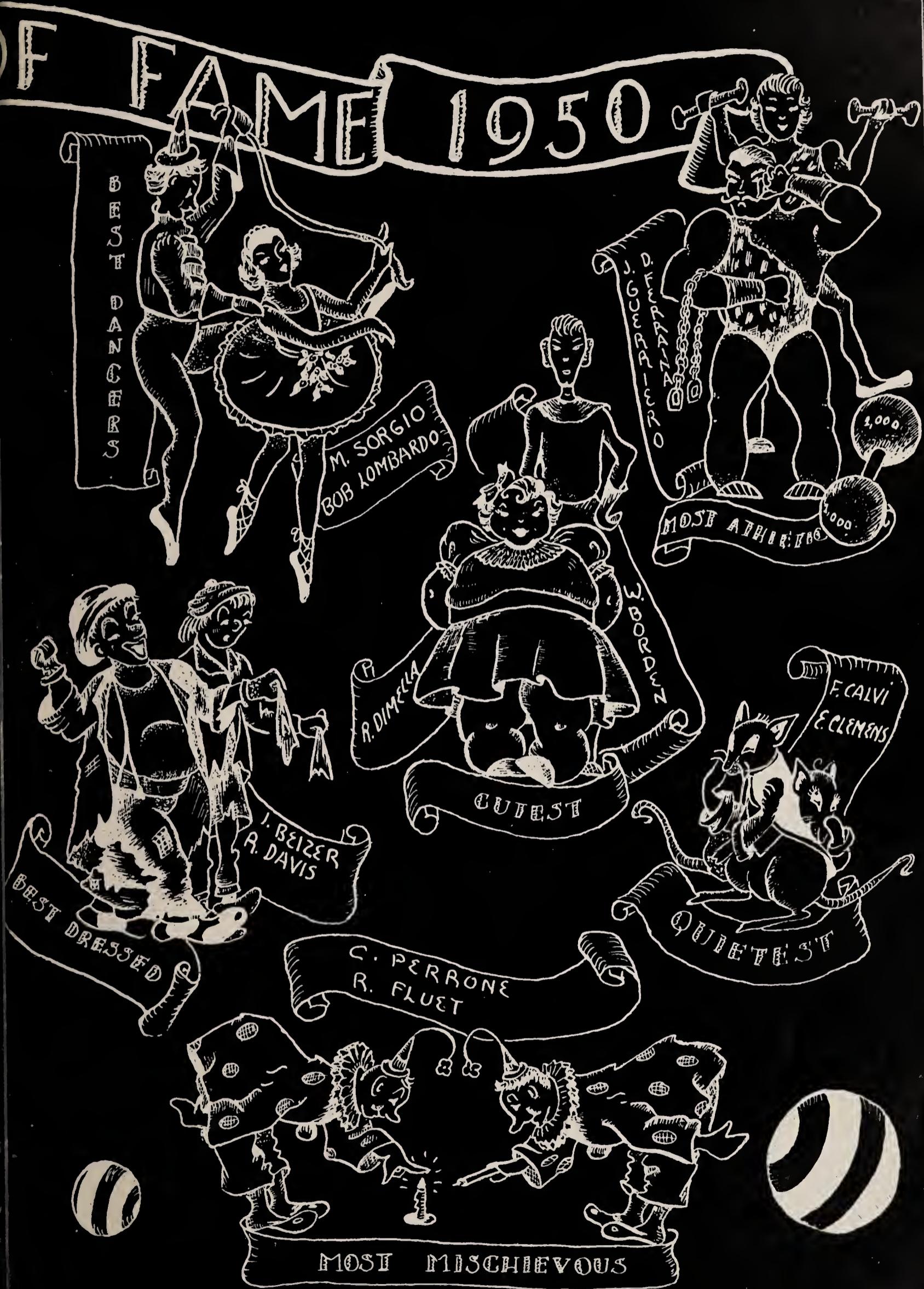






# THE HALL







# CLASS HISTORY—1950

TIME: Year 2050 A.H.B. (after hydrogen bomb)

SETTING: Newsroom of station WFEL in Pyromania, capital of the earth.

Teletype clicking—excited announcer rushes to microphone:

"Fellow Pyromaniacs, an amazing archeological discovery has just been uncovered in the ruins of the north end of the ancient settlement of Hotfoot, Conn. (we believe that is the correct pronunciation). According to the "head" of the expedition, Feliot Smiles, the ruins must date back at least one hundred and fifty years. (Interrupted program resumes once again, and music is heard).

"Flash—more news of the expedition. Twenty feet below the wreckage, Feliot Smiles and his men have found several lettered bottles resembling medicine containers. From all appearances, the ruins must be the remains of a hospital. Stamped on a broken piece of glass are the numerals 328.

"Digging deeper into the wreckage the archeologists have uncovered a second layer. Judging from the remains this floor must have lodged the extra large hospital wards. In among the ruins there were many 'beautiful but strange carvings' on the 'furniture'. Here are some: Shultz, '50; Soph.; E.B. & J.R.; a large reward will be given to the one who can decipher this code.

"Also on this level, a strange-looking steel, locked cabinet was found on which appeared the letters LOOKOUT. This must have been the sentry's office. (Music again).

"Another bulletin. Dr. Smiles has just reported that this mass of debris has a third level, which may prove beyond the shadow of a doubt that this wasn't a hospital. The following have just been uncovered: blue, white, and yellow slips with the words, CIPHER, DEMERITS, and PASS. What can these strange letters mean?

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"Back to the report. Here is Mr. Smiles himself to tell about the next amazing discovery."

Mr. Smiles: In the process of delving through these ancient ruins our party has come upon a pile of mouldy books with the word PORTAL on them. Being the head of this expedition and the only man versed in this classic language, I removed from this pile one exceptionally mouldy book THE PORTAL 1950. I will read you an excerpt from this book:





*"Shorty"*

## CLASS HISTORY OF 1950 . . . . .

The first things that struck us when we were sophomores were the swinging doors. Recuperating from this big blow in a hurry, we noticed the arrival of four new teachers; also the building was warm. Could it be? No, only the new oil tank!

Just because we were big sophomores we were all allowed membership in the few unrestricted clubs left in Weaver: the 8:30 club whose most faithful members were "Jinx" Abramson and "Pixie" Rodin; the Demerit Club, soundly supported by "Shorty" Schuffman and Howie Yalen; and the Seventh Period Club, led by Toby Marranzini.

Tragedy also struck us in our happy day when Miss Elizabeth H. Craig, a member of the English Department, passed away.

We girls were entertained royally by senior members of the Girls' League at the Senior-Sophomore party. In two years we were to get our chance to be the wheels!

*Wheels!*





*The Mid-Winter  
Hop—1950*

*Sports Night  
Exhibition*



We had an unequaled record in football that year, unvictorious. That word also leads us to remember when we presented Jasper with our elevator tickets.

Contrary to its title, the Weaver Nightmare supplied dreamy and restful entertainment. Thanks again to Brock for his greatest "Where Are You Now?" (Sitting in the front row, of course!)

Still in the entertainment world, we remember our first Sophomore Hop. In fact, it was WEAVER's first one also. Every Joe dragged his Sally for a really dreamy night.

Then, with apologies to the Met, Weaver "artistes" put on the memorable opera, "The Pie-Eyed Piper!"

Come April and the Boys' Leader Corps became jealous of Girls' Sport Night and put on their own exhibition.

A serious memory of the recent war was brought home to us when Gold Star parents attended the dedication of the plaque honoring the sixty-two war dead of Weaver.

Now being full-fledged Weaverites, we gathered to spend our glorious summer days in Keney Park.



Mr. Frank H. Burke

## JUNIOR YEAR

This year started off with sadness in everyone's heart. All of Weaver deeply felt the loss of Mr. Burke, our beloved principal, and honored him at a special Memorial Assembly.

Mr. Aitken instituted the three-minute bell system and study halls for tardiness. Between classes you could cook your eggs just as you wanted them, and have plenty of time to eat them in 240!

Kilroy dropped dead, and Schultz became the undisputed leader though for a while interrupted by Rufus.

Despite rumors heard from H.P.H.S. to the contrary, the Beavers won the Turkey Day Classic. Maybe our exciting rally inspired the boys!

Weaver was the scene of many bustling activities this year; C.S.P.A. Convention, Parents' Night, Cancer Show—"Hey, Waiter," and a visit by that King of Swing, Benny Goodman. Our own Dom Baio played with the master.

*Mind your business!*





*City Series Thrills at Trinity Field House*

*W-W-W*

Rita DiMella and Joan Mandell tied for high honors in bookkeeping. These gals sure know their figures.

We boys finally got a say about something when under Mr. Melrose we reorganized our Boys' Club.

Threatening to replace our ever-popular *Bingo* was Brock's *Weaver Color Song*, a product of another successful Weaver Night.

At the Windham basketball game the Philip R. Smith memorial scoreboard was dedicated. It surely has seen many exciting moments.

Weaverites really learned their alphabet by attending the Letter Club's first assembly: W W W W. (See, Mom, I'm spelling!)

The highlight of the year was our glorious Rainbow Rhapsody (Junior Prom to peasants!) Queen Rita and King Dom reigned royally the whole night through.

Now for the greatest event of all under the Big Top, Our Senior Year.



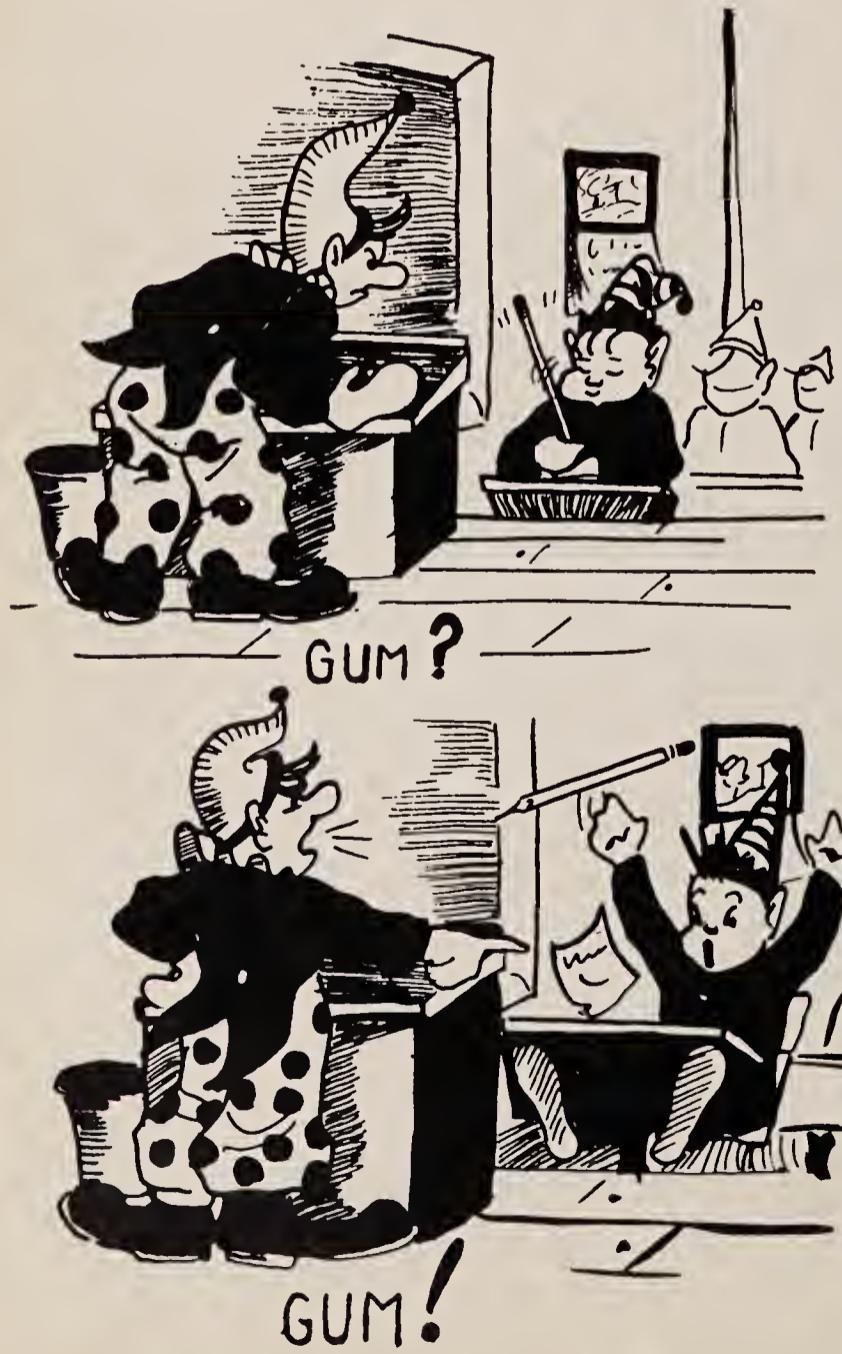


*Turkey didn't taste ...*



Left to right: Lombardo, Dunton, J. Cooney, Beckham, Greenberg.

Weaver's leading politicians, John Cooney, Bob Lombardo, and Emmy Dunton now have a chance to display their ability at the Junior City Council, our first step towards a democracy in the schools.



Newly renovated Batterson Field saw two pep rallies this fall. For the first time an outside rally was held during the school day.

Undaunted by the results of the football season, (Turkey didn't taste too good this year) Weaver's basketball team made the New Haven tournament for the first time since 1945. The Boys' Leader Corps demonstrated their virile qualities between halves and made many a female heart sigh.

Both the Letter Club's Monogram Dance, and the Mid-Winter Hop were great successes, showing we can really do it if we want to.

The newly formed Astronomy Club saw a successful season with Ray Gaylor as its leader.

Weaver really advanced the feeling of brotherhood by having a combined Christmas-Chanukah Assembly, ably led by The Choraliers and Mr. Brockway. (He pops up everywhere like Mr. Carrier in the Scoop!)





*Brotherhood Program*

*Hold it, boys!*

Flash: Sandy Murray was elected President of the Honor Society; Nellie Uccello represented Weaver in the D.A.R. Contest, and Bobbie Hoffman won the Science Award.

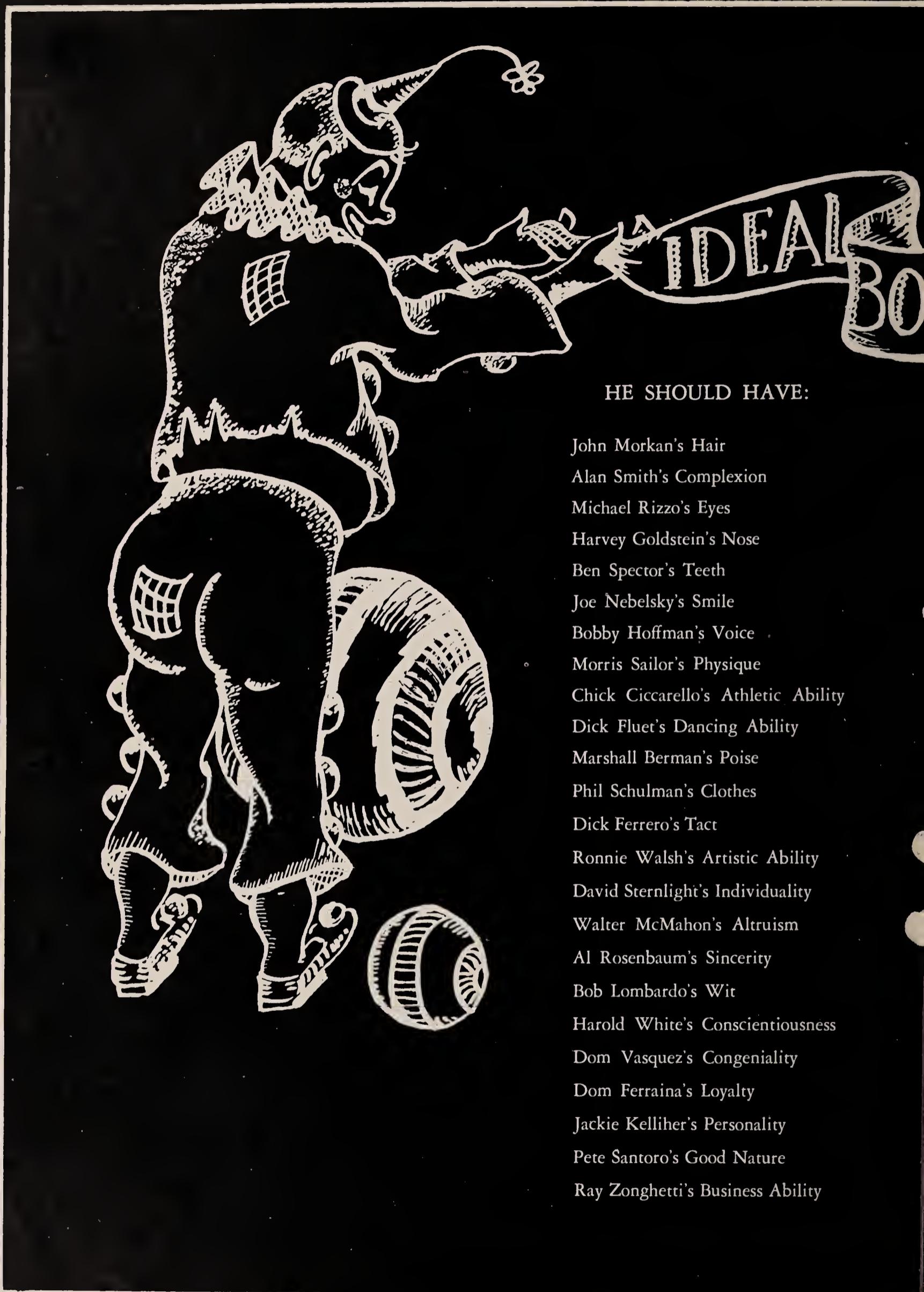
Dick Ferrero became the most talked about Senior in school by holding down the offices of Business Manager of *The PORTAL* and President of our illustrious class. We threw the book at Marshall Berman (see him about your complaints!), and the headaches of the Senior Reception at Marilyn Hainsey.

Then came the real joys of being a Senior: Class Night, Senior Banquet, a wonderful Reception; and last but not least, Graduation.

"Well, fellow Pyromaniacs, this book has proved that this building must have been some school named Weaver. Horror of horrors, what a mistake in repeating its history! But now I turn this program back to your announcer."

*Announcer:* Thank you, Dr. Smiles. This important news was brought to you by Eebar-ral Mouth Products. Tune in tomorrow for more news of The Smiles Expedition.





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- Alan Smith's Complexion
- Michael Rizzo's Eyes
- Harvey Goldstein's Nose
- Ben Spector's Teeth
- Joe Nebelsky's Smile
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- Morris Sailor's Physique
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*Donna Forman*

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Howard	were a	Man	instead of a	KIDD
Marilyn	were a	Happy "Joe"	instead of a	SORGIO



# C L U B S

Always a wonderful and inseparable part of life at Weaver has been the many clubs and extra curricular organizations. The meetings, whether they were held in the morning or after school, gave us a chance to meet our friends, do interesting things, and get to know the many teachers who acted as interested and understanding club advisors.

Who can forget his own amazement, when, as a sophomore, he was told the names of all the clubs at Weaver? So many different kinds! No matter what we were interested in, Weaver had a club composed of other people interested in similar projects. And what variety! Three different science clubs, business and homemaking clubs, musical organizations, and even a camera club could be found among Weaver's activities.



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SPANISH CLUB

FRENCH CLUB



Some clubs met for purely social reasons and those were the meetings that we remember as being so much fun, (and were *we* surprised to find out that our teachers really were human, after all!). Other clubs met to accomplish something, and much to the surprise of many students, actually did. These were the times when we discovered accidentally that science was really interesting and not just some dull stuff that they made us learn from a textbook.

Anyone who has taken a language has at least come in contact with the French and Spanish Clubs. When we remember how many things we learned painlessly, while having such good times at these clubs, it seems incredible. Mispronunciations, which were sometimes priceless, were always taken with such good grace, and corrected so hilariously, that sometimes we even carried the corrections over into the classroom! We investigated all the interesting things that **we** never had the time for in class, and developed remarkable projects, but through it all, we had a genuinely good time at every meeting.

## INGLESIDE CLUB

At meetings of the various science clubs we discovered and investigated the many things that had always interested us. Memories of club meetings include experiments that often produced extremely weird results, and visits to many spots of scientific interest; and we can never forget



## GIRLS' BUSINESS CLUB

the terrible disappointment when it rained on the day when a field trip was planned. Even through all our failures, however, we managed to learn something and to enjoy ourselves immensely in the process.

Seldom heard from, but always busy, were the Ingleside

## BIOLOGY CLUB

and Business Clubs. If we weren't actually members, we'll best remember these clubs by their sales. We usually would rush down to the lobby as soon as we could get there on the days when the candy sales were held, and the taste of that candy won't be soon forgotten!



## PHYSICS CLUB



Art and photography enthusiasts found their niches in the Camera and Art-Crafts Clubs. Although a small, and little-publicized club, the Camera Club made itself known to us by some of the wonderful photographs which were occasionally on display, and



## CAMERA CLUB

which looked so professional that we could hardly believe that our friends had actually taken the pictures, or posed for them. The Art-Crafts Club, however, we knew well, for if we didn't actually attend the meetings, which were hectically artistic, to say the least,

## ART-CRAFTS CLUB

we always were present at the annual sale, where the articles sold were in the best artistic tradition. We all have leather goods, metalwork, painted articles, or something at home to remind us of those sales, or of some "mad" Art-Crafts Club meeting.



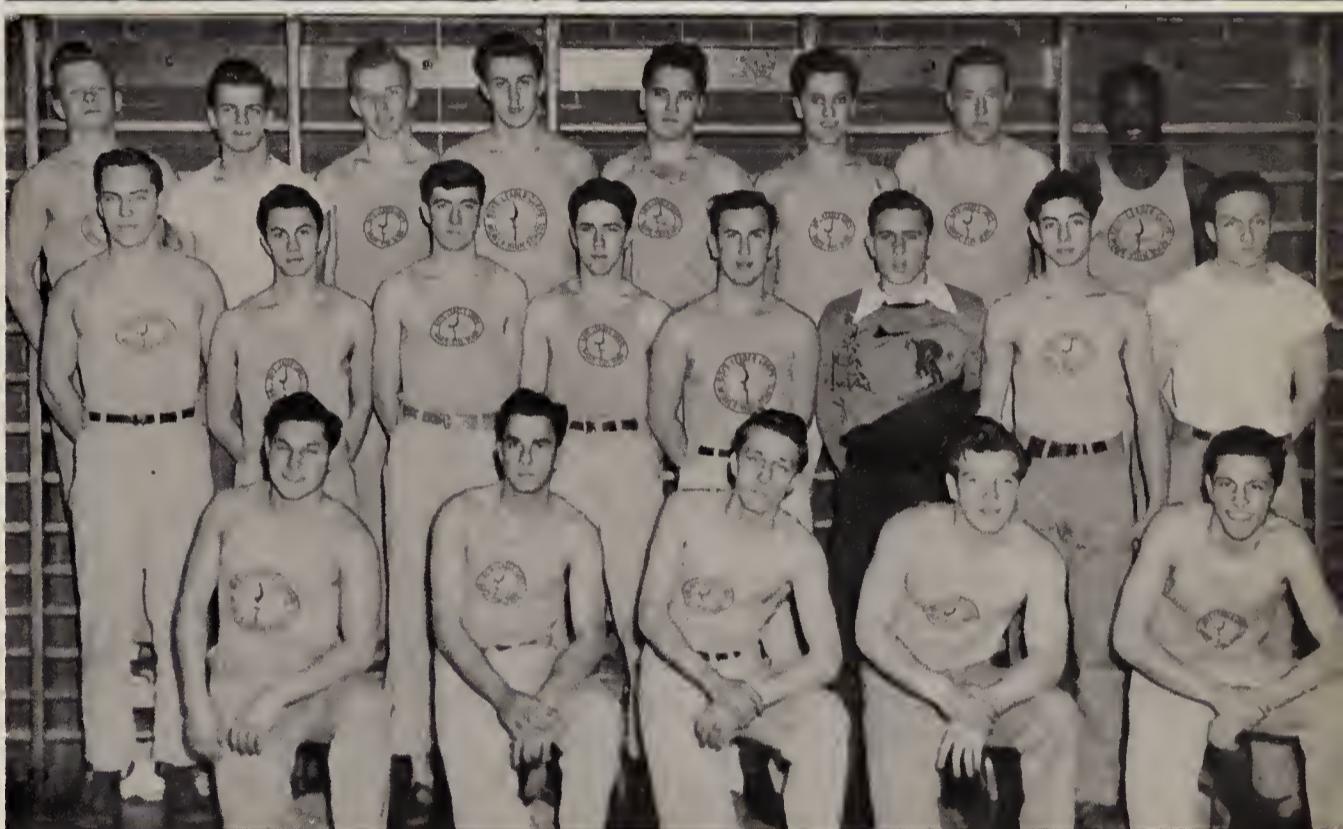
## ASTRONOMY CLUB

A prominent place in the list of Weaver organizations must be given to both Leader Corps. The Boys' and the Girls' Leader Corps have always taken a prominent part in school activities. The Boys' Leaders Corps is best remembered by Weaverities for the wonderful demonstrations of



## BOYS' LEADER CORPS

tumbling which they gave on many occasions, and from which we always came away with a feeling of wonder that they hadn't all broken their heads. All the girls in Weaver know the Girls' Leaders Corps as the girls in white gym suits who took charge of things in



## GIRLS' LEADER CORPS

the gym classes, but the members know that it involved much more than that. They remember the parties, initiations, and other social affairs which they attended and also the many other affairs which they sponsored. What fun it all really was!



WESTON H. BROCKWAY  
Directing Glee Club

## GLEE CLUB

We all remember the wonderful concerts given by Weaver's vocal organizations, the Choir and Glee Clubs, (no matter which end of them we happened to be on). Those who listened enjoyed the concerts, but couldn't know all the work and fun which had gone into them. The members remember the hectic meetings where they sang music or scales or exercises, as the mood possessed Mr. Brockway, (affectionately known as "Brock" by all). The results testify to the hard work, but only the members recall the jokes and good times that repaid them so fully for their efforts.

These are the clubs of Weaver, and in one way or another, we all came in contact with some of them. Through these clubs and organizations we became a part of the school, and the school, the teachers, and our friends really became a part of us. They were certainly delightful "side shows"!

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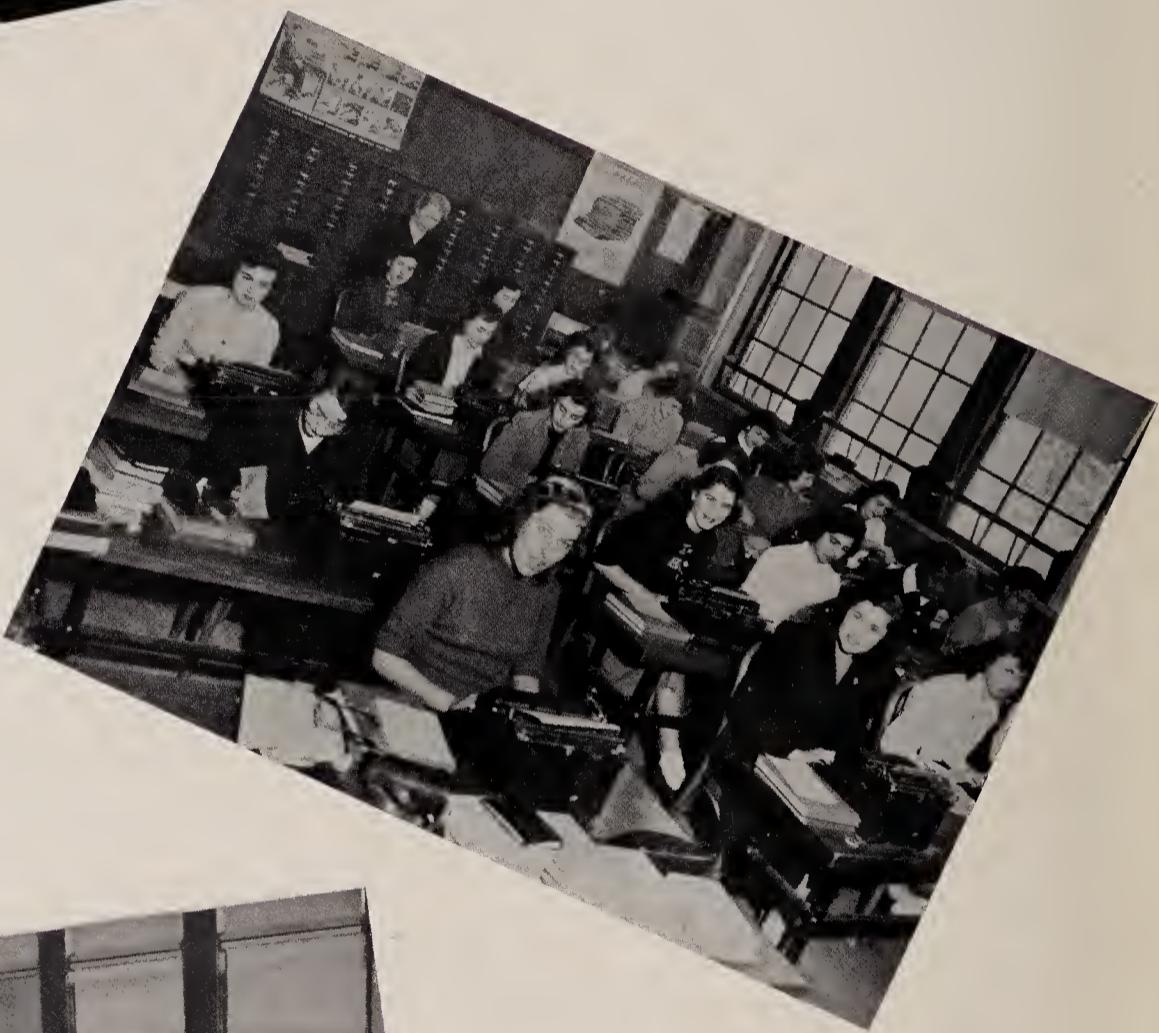






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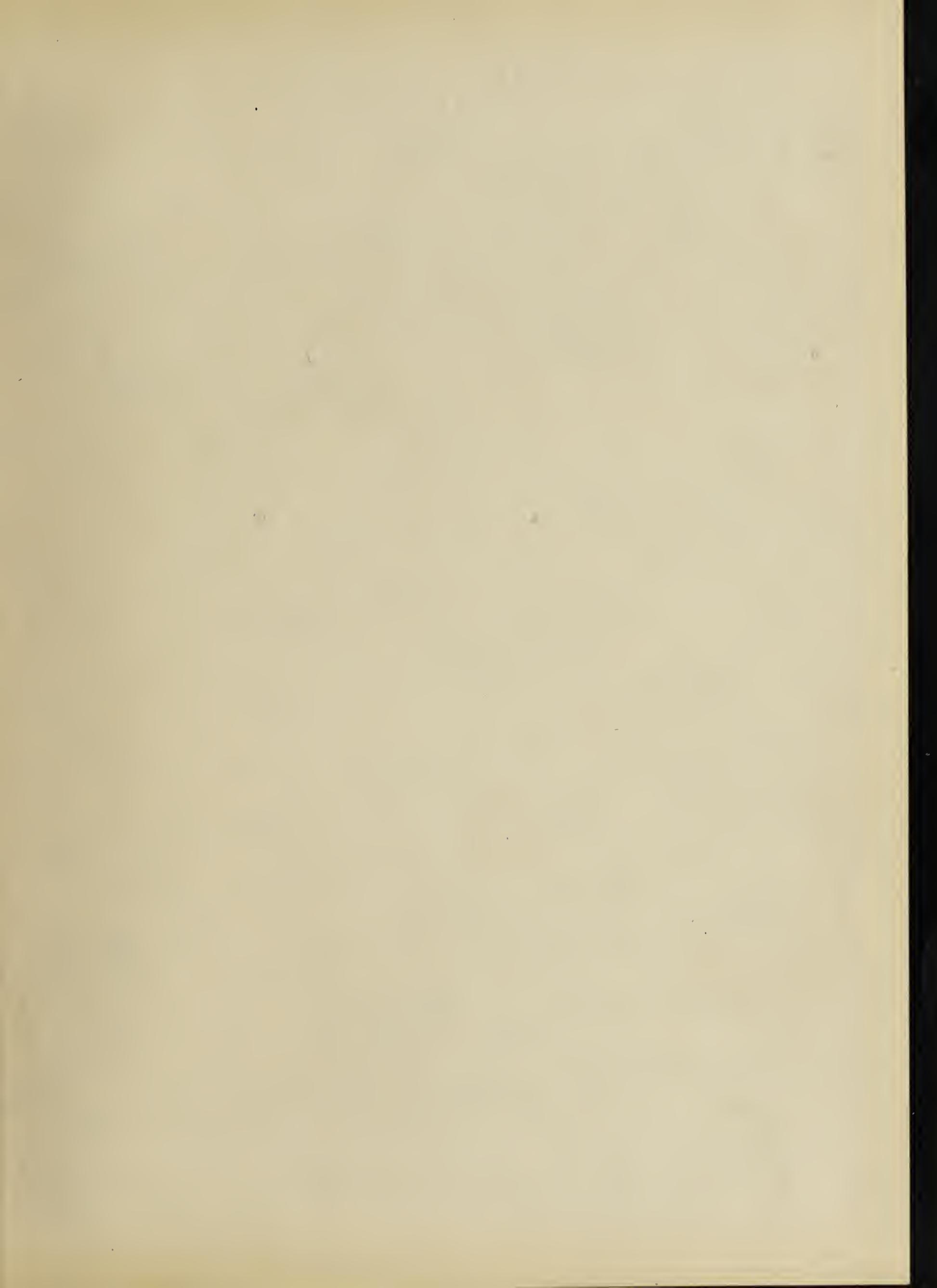


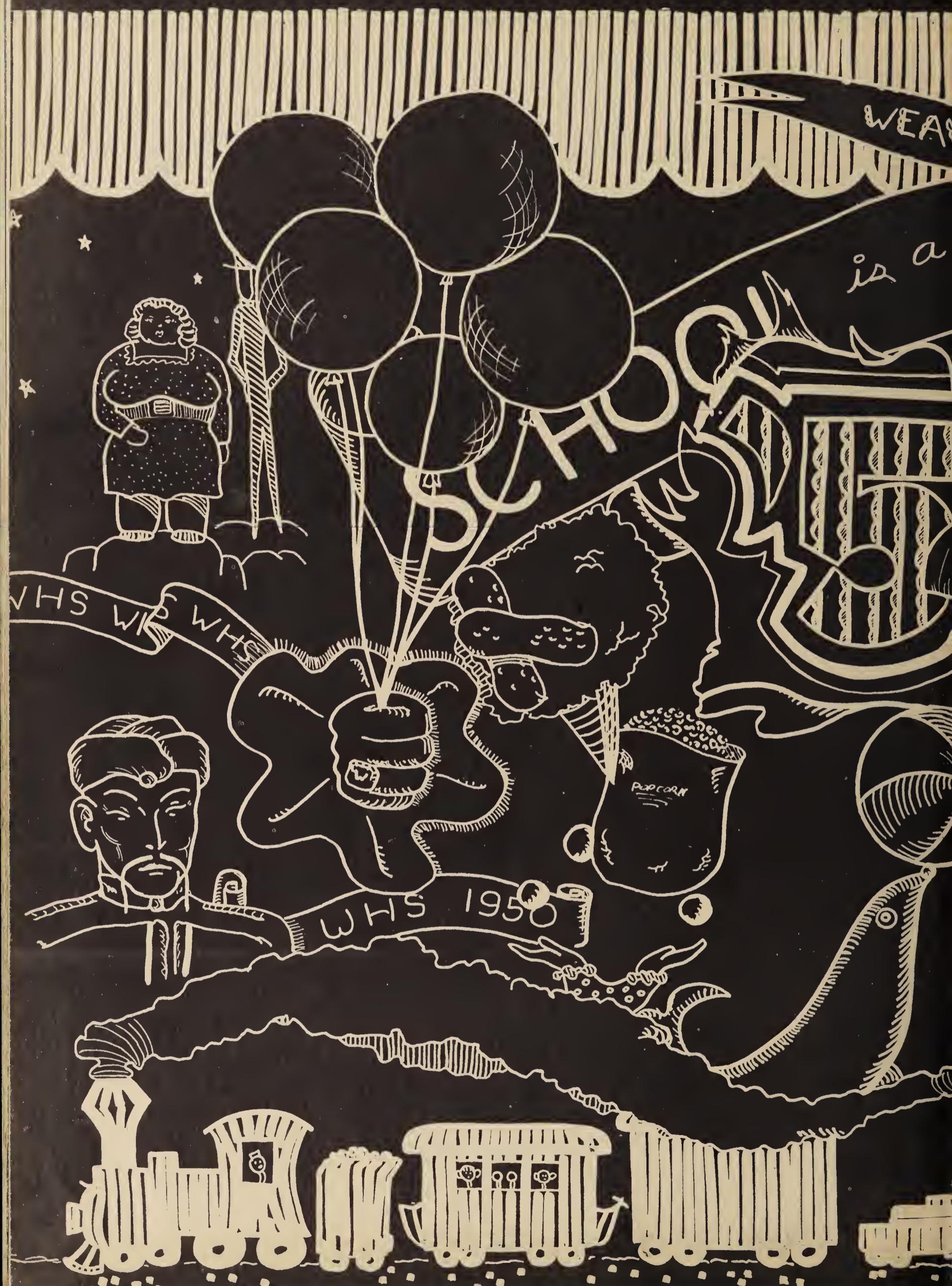
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